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WIND AND LIGHTNING CAUSED GREAT DAMAGE TO CROPS AND TO CITIES

SEVERE STORM PASSED NORTH OF DIXON TUESDAY, ROCKFORD, ELGIN AND OTHER CITIES IN NORTHERN ILLINOIS SUFFERING GREATLY FROM WIND AND ELECTRICITY — RAIN AND RAIN DAMAGED CROPS GREATLY.

BOWLUS HOME IN NORTH DIXON WAS STRUCK BY LIGHTNING

A severe wind storm, followed by an electrical storm later in the evening, struck Dixon and vicinity late Tuesday afternoon and considerable damage was done by the wind which, according to reports from the surrounding country, blew down considerable corn and grain. The rain which fell during the evening and night, however, was most welcome, especially to potato growers, who report that moisture was badly needed.

No very serious damage resulted in this immediate vicinity, however. Lightning struck the home of J. H. Bowlus, 815 Assembly place, about 8 o'clock last evening and tore a number of shingles from the roof and burned out the electric lights in the house.

Phone Lines Suffer.

The local telephone lines suffered from the storm, every toll line out of the city, with the exception of the Sterling and Polo lines, being put out of commission by the wind. Trees were blown down across the lines in several places, taking the poles and wires with them, and causing much trouble.

Trouble on Railroad.

The Northwestern Railroad company also experienced trouble from the storm, the heavy rainfall east of Geneva causing several minor washouts, which, while not of a serious nature, were sufficient to delay the traffic.

Other Cities Suffered.

The cyclone assumed almost cyclonic energy in nearby localities and caused loss of life and property over northern Illinois and Wisconsin and on Lake Michigan, where hail and rain damaged the crops.

Almost a dozen cities and towns bear mute evidence of the visit of the storm. Among the cities and villages to suffer are Rockford, Elgin, Sycamore, DeKalb, Woodstock, Hartland, Harvard, Pingree Grove, Dundee, Algonquin and Marengo.

The Dead.

Frank O'Leary, farmer; killed near Woodstock, Ill.
Arthur Peterson, eighteen years old; struck by lightning in gravel pit two miles south of Elgin.
Unidentified man, killed at Marengo.
A launch, flying signals of distress, was sighted by the life-saving station. They reached the lake, but were unable to find any trace of it.

Life savers were kept on constant duty assisting boats which had gone out in the lake. Seven persons were rescued by the life savers of Lake Forest from a launch which was in danger of sinking off Highland Park.

Two Killed Near Elgin.

For several hours Elgin was shut off from all communication with the exception of Chicago and Crystal Lake. In this region the storm centered, and it was near that city where the three fatalities occurred. Twenty barns were blown down between Elgin, Pingree Grove and Gilbert. Arthur Peterson was killed by a bolt of lightning while he was driving his team to shelter from the Van Wicker gravel pit. The lightning struck the wagon, killing him instantly, and also one of the horses.

A few minutes later Frank O'Leary was killed under similar circumstances. He was driving along a road near Hartland, six miles west of Woodstock, when lightning struck his wagon. The force of the bolt killed O'Leary and one of the horses and hurled the wagon down an embankment.

Trees Are Blown Down.

Hundreds of beautiful trees which have been the pride of Rockford for 50 years, and which earned it the title of "Forest City," were uprooted. Although three sections of the storm, coming from west, north and east, united in the northern section of Rockford, no deaths or serious injury resulted.

Burning barns around Rockford cast a red glow upon the sky for many hours after the storm passed. Almost every building in the city suffered damage to some extent.

Farmers Lose Heavily.

Marengo, a city about twenty miles east of Rockford, suffered heavily. Trees were blown down, crashing into roofs and damaging property to the extent of several hundred thousand dollars.

Probably the great financial loss will fall upon the farmers. When the storm began it came with such violence that fields of corn, wheat, oats and other small grains were totally destroyed.

ROUTE DIVISIONS ARE HARD AT WORK

TRANSCONTINENTAL WILL BE MODEL HIGHWAY BY 1915, SAY ENTHUSIASTS.

ALL ALONG THE LINE

National Chairman Coan Receives Word From All Along the Line, Coast to Coast, of Progress in the Work for Completing Project.

National Chairman W. F. Coan of Clinton, of the Transcontinental Overland Trail association also president of the Iowa division, is receiving encouraging word from all along the route, coast to coast, indicating that the various state divisions are hard at work on the project of carrying out the trail slogan, "Every mile cadadam or gravel by 1915." The following cut has been prepared by the national association for use on all national and state bulletins:

TRANSCONT'L OVERLAND
TRAIL SLOGAN

Every Mile Macadam or Gravel
Highway By 1915

With the impetus given at the annual meeting of the Iowa state division at Tama, attended by 500 boosters from along route between Clinton and Council Bluffs, progress is being made in Iowa to make the slogan ring true by 1915. It is intended to make the Iowa division a model before 1915 if possible. The central thought in all state divisions is:

"As goes the crowd in 1915 (to the Panama-Pacific Exposition), so goes the national highway."

That idea is not being lost sight of in any division. It is feared in Iowa that the fact that the Transcontinental route has been placed on all the county road systems may cause laxity on the part of the residents in improving the road. It is announced, however, that the route may be altered between various towns at any time, according to the progress made on the respective roads in improvement.

In Indiana.

Reports have been received by Mr. Coan that active work is well under way in Indiana, that organizations are being perfected in each county and that preparations are being made for a complete system of marking in accordance with the Transcontinental plan. The Indiana division has just published a neat booklet containing the by-laws of the division and complete maps.

In Iowa plans are being made for the state highway commission and officers of the Transcontinental Route association to make a trip over the entire route some time next month. It is believed that much good will result.

In Nebraska.

The Platte Valley Transcontinental automobile route, the division extending from Omaha to the Rockies, has just issued a neat folder giving complete road maps, directions and distances between Omaha, Cheyenne and Denver. The condition of the Nebraska route is indicated by the famous run made by the national field secretary, H. E. Frederickson, accompanied by his wife, in 1910, between Cheyenne and Omaha, 562 miles, in 19 hours.

Mr. Frederickson is now making his headquarters at Rawlins and is working on the organization of the western division of the route. He sends to Mr. Coan clippings from Wyoming papers showing what is being done there and says he expects to have the state meeting in the central part of the state in two or three weeks. The clippings indicate that the project is receiving hearty support, the newspapers featuring the Transcontinental route and preparations are under way for improving and signing the roads.

SHOOT'S HIS WIFE.

Springfield, Ill., July 9.—Fred Inyard is in jail charged with intent to kill his wife, whom he shot through the arm. Enraged because his baby was partial to Mrs. Inyard he whipped the child with a hairbrush. Mrs. Inyard threw a flatiron and he shot her.

GREEN GOODS MEN AT WORK

WEALTHY FARMER OF LASALLE COUNTY WHO WOULD SWINDLE OTHERS IS SWINDLED.

A wealthy Utica farmer and a fruit peddler were the victims of a "green goods" shark a few days ago when they were relieved of \$3,800 in government greenbacks. Both of these gentlemen, says the Spring Valley Gazette, are now in Ottawa seeking an indictment against a man by the name of Solomon Fine, who is charged with working the game.

The fleeing of the pair took place on May 10. Solomon Fine got into communication with the pair, representing that he had come into possession of a pair of government plates and that he could make just as good money as the U. S. government. Fine visited Ottawa on May 18 and registered at the Hotel Ottawa and made arrangements to meet the two prospective victims in his room. He carried with him a suitcase and another box that looked very much like a doctor's medicine case. In his room at the hotel Fine showed the men how to manufacture \$50 bills. The money was rolled up in a piece of blank paper which was covered with liquid taken from the chest. After the money had been put in the press it came out in the form of two brand new \$50 bills.

The following day a visit was made to the Utica man's farm and he was sufficiently interested to subscribe \$3,000, while his friend put \$800 into the deal. Because of the large amount of money, Fine suggested that the press be put into a damp place and they would see it work in the morning. Fine and the fruit peddler then left for LaSalle.

During the night the Utican man became a little alarmed and went to investigate, and upon opening the press found nothing but a few rolls of old paper. Officials were called hurriedly to catch Fine, but he was gone, and so was the money. The two victims appeared before the grand jury recently to ask for an indictment.

WILSON CRAWFORD HAD SEVERE FALL

IS STILL IN SEMI-CONSCIOUS CONDITION AS RESULT OF ACCIDENT.

Wilson Crawford, 703 Galena avenue, was possibly seriously injured yesterday afternoon when he fell from the driveway at his farm east of the city, suffering a concussion of the brain which rendered him unconscious, from which state he had but partially rallied this afternoon.

The accident occurred at about 5 p. m. Tuesday. Whether Mr. Crawford slipped or tripped is not known, but he fell from the driveway to the barn, which sets on a bank, and struck on his head.

He was taken to the house and a physician summoned while his daughter, Miss Bessie, who was nursing on a case nearby, was called and assisted in the care of her father.

A GOOD IDEA.

The city of Sterling is the possessor of a voltmeter and gas gauge for which the light committee is responsible and it is the intention to install these in the city hall and connect them in such a manner as to permit an inspection at all times of the power and lighting material furnished by the Utilities company.

DOWNING PURCHASED PROF. STRONG'S BOAT

Prof. W. F. Strong yesterday sold his launch to George J. Downing. The purchase price for the craft, which is one of the best on the river, was not made public.

TRAUTMAN TO TAKE TWO MONTHS' REST

W. W. Trautman, day operator at the Northwestern passenger station, left today for a two months' vacation trip. His place is being taken by a relief operator from Chicago.

Eugene Stiles and W. H. Rink attended the horse races at Mendota yesterday.

GOVERNMENT CROP REPORT IS ISSUED

INDICATES GREAT LOSS IN ALL CROPS—INDICATIONS ON JULY 1ST.

SPRING WHEAT OFF 20 PER CENT

29,000,000 Bushels Less Wheat Indicated by Report Just Issued.

The government report on crop conditions as reported to the Department of Agriculture July 1 was given out today, and as received in this city over the C. P. Herrick private wire, indicates a much lighter crop in all grains this year than produced in 1912, and also shows a marked decrease from a report issued about a month ago.

The report gives the condition of winter wheat as being 81.6 per cent of a crop, with an indicated yield of 15.6 bushels per acre and a total indicated crop of 483,000,000 bushels. The condition last month was 83.5 per cent and a year ago winter wheat was 73.3 per cent.

The condition of spring wheat is 73.8 as against 93.5 last month and 89.3 a year ago. The indicated crop is 218,000,000 bushels, an average of 11.7 bushels per acre. The total indicated yield of all wheat is 701,000,000 bushels, which is 29,000,000 bushels less than the yield last year.

Oats and Corn Off.

Oats and corn are also cut off in the report of the department. Corn is conditioned 86.9 per cent, against 81.5 per cent a year ago. The indicated yield is 2,971,000,000 bushels, 20,000,000 bushels less than last year, while oats are conditioned 76.3 per cent against 87 per cent last month and 89.2 per cent a year ago. The indicated yield of oats is 26.9 per acre, a total indicated crop of 1,031,000,000 bushels, which is 40,000,000 bushels less than last year.

The government estimates that there are 35,515,000 bushels of old wheat in the farmers' hands.

SLAGLE KICKED BY HORSE EARLY TODAY

EMPLOYEE OF BURRIGHT & EASTMAN WAS PAINFULLY INJURED.

Charles Slagle, an employee at the Burright & Eastman livery, was kicked by a horse this morning and he received injuries which will keep him from work for some time. His escape from more serious injury is remarkable, for had he not been too close to the horse for the animal to kick with its entire strength he would probably have received injuries that might have proven fatal.

He was passing behind the horse when it kicked with both feet, one hoof striking him in the pit of the stomach and the other on the bicep muscle of the right arm, cutting the skin and flesh and making a bad contusion. A surgeon attended his injuries and it is not thought they will prove serious.

FLAMING ARC LIGHTS HAVE REACHED DIXON

POLES AND BRACKETS FOR ORNAMENTAL LIGHTS ARE EXPECTER SOON.

The flaming arc lights for the ornamental street lighting have arrived and the officials of the Utilities company are anxiously awaiting the shipment of the brackets and extra posts which will be needed before the system can be completed.

New steel posts are to replace the few wooden poles that are now carrying trolley wires, and in the two blocks where there are no trolley poles short steel poles will be installed to support the lamps.

Marcus Duffy of the Western Union Telegraph company is taking a vacation.

BULLETIN

NEW YORK RAILWAY COMPANY DENOUNCED

Washington, D. C., July 9.—Special.—The financial operations of the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad and its operation of trolley lines and its control of all New England railroads are condemned in unmeasured terms by the Interstate Commerce commission in the report of its investigations which were made public today.

RIOT IN STEEL MILLS.

Chicago, July 9.—Special.—One man was killed and scores were cut and bruised as the result of a riot at the Illinois steel mills in South Chicago today.

SIX U. S. SOLDIERS KILLED.

Manila, P. I., July 9.—Special.—Six U. S. coast artillerymen were killed and 30 injured when a flat car used to convey the detachment, was wrecked near here today.

FOREST FIRES IN WEST

San Francisco, July 9.—Special.—Forest fires that have already done thousands of dollars damage, are sweeping over the Blithedale canyon and are beyond control. Mill Valley, a town in the district, is doomed.

CLAM BAKE TO BE BIGGER AND BETTER

LABOR DAY ENTERTAINMENT TO BE GREAT EVENT OF THE YEAR.

The house committee of the Elks lodge has commenced active preparations for the annual clam bake to be given on Labor day and the premise is made that the event will be better and bigger than ever before. It is planned to have a number of new features, the details of which will be announced later, and the affair will be extensively advertised over this part of the state.

The Dixon Elks' clam bakes have gained a prominent position in the list of entertainments in northern Illinois, and in every city in this section there are many men who always know where they will celebrate Labor day—with the Dixon Elks.

The successful celebration given here the Fourth will add greatly to the attendance at the clam bake, for many visitors stated then that they would surely be here for another big day's entertainment. The coming event will be made the biggest thing ever attempted in the city. The menu will be made more extensive and a program that will insure something doing every minute of the day will also be a feature.

Frank M. Flannery returned from Chicago last evening after a three days' business trip with the United Play company.

FREEPORT JUDGE TO HEAR PAVING CASE

JUDGE CLARITY OF STEPHENSON COUNTY TO SIT IN LEE CO. COURT

ON SECOND STREET PAVEMENT

Judge Scott Calls in Jurist Following Charge He is Prejudiced

Judge Clarity of the Stephenson county court will come to Dixon tomorrow morning to preside in the Lee county court on the West Second street paving project, which will come up at that time for final settlement. Following the charge of the objectors that he was prejudiced in favor of the city in all improvement matters, Judge Scott decided to call in an outside jurist to hear the objections on this matter, and accordingly he has asked Judge Clarity to hear the case.

It is believed that the Third street paving project has been settled and can be advertised and awarded. The motion to dismiss the proceedings in this case was the only objection raised, and when Judge Scott overruled that motion it confirmed the assessment roll and the board of local improvements will proceed to advertise the job, as it is the wish of the council and the board that the pavement be put in this year.

PARDON FOR FARNSWORTH.

Boston, July 9.—Fifty citizens of Sycamore, Ill., have forwarded a petition to Governor Foss of Massachusetts asking pardon for their neighbor, Ravid D. Farnsworth, a writer, who is serving a jail sentence of six months for killing Thomas Hagan at Bridgewater. Farnsworth asserted he did not intend to kill Hagan, but shot in the dark to frighten some chicken thieves.

EXPLOSION VICTIMS DIE.

Peoria, July 9.—Fred Steckel and Wm. Denson, who were burned in the explosion at the Clarke distillery yesterday afternoon, died today.

TAKING VACATION.

John Duffy of the postoffice force, is taking two weeks' vacation.

LIGHTNING KILLS HORSE.

Lightning last night killed a fine horse belonging to Thomas Burnett, who lives near the Lowden farm.

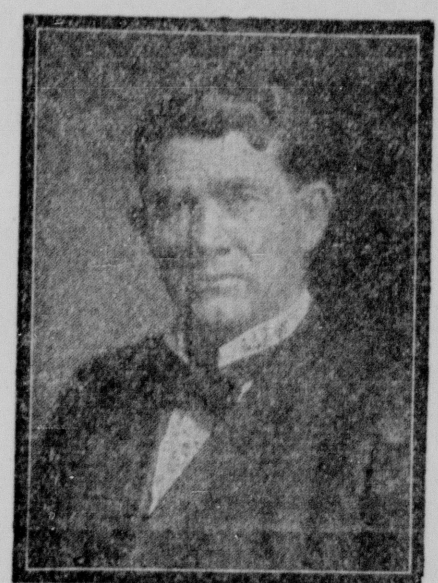
STRICKEN WITH TYPHOID.

An Italian named Joe Lenzo has been stricken with typhoid fever at Graves Center.

NIGHT OPERATOR

Will Go to DeKalb
Night Operator C. T. Garland of the Northwestern has resigned his position here to accept a similar one at DeKalb.

FORMER GOVERNOR HANLEY IS AN ASSEMBLY ORATOR



Hon. J. Frank Hanley, for four years governor of Indiana, has the reputation, which he justly deserves, of being one of the greatest orators in the country today. His superb intellectual endowment, ripe scholarship and wide range of information, together with his indomitable will, make his utterances most forceful.

Social Happenings

Girls Break Camp.

Camp So-D-I at Necedah lodge, where a number of young ladies have been enjoying life for several days, has been disbanded and the young ladies have returned to their homes. The following misses, under Mrs. I. M. Goodwin's chaperonage, enjoyed the camp: Mazie Espy, Lucile Jones, Mildred Haley, Ethel Gorham, Alice Ackert, Clara Valle, Gladys Scofield of Minot, N. D., Kathleen O'Connor of Ravenswood and Mabel Jackson of Sterling.

Ice Cream Social.

The E. R. B. S. class of St. Paul's Lutheran church will hold an ice cream social Saturday evening in the church parlors, to which all are invited.

To Meet Thursday.

The E. R. B. Sunday school class of St. Paul's Lutheran church will hold their regular business meeting tomorrow evening at the home of Miss Clara Graehling of 321 East Fellows street and a large attendance is desired.

Picnic at Lowell.

Lina and Lloyd Wasser, Margaret Keagle, Leon Zick and Scott Miller of Polo and Ferne Senneff and Edith Miller of Dixon and Fred Kraehler of Chicago picnicked at Lowell park Sunday.

To Mendota Races.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Blass and son Harold motored to Mendota today in their car to attend the races.

S. F. O. Club Serves.

The members of the S. F. O. club will serve ice cream at the Y. M. C. A. Thursday evening during the band concert.

Camp at Necedah.

Miss Carol Welch of Chicago is here to visit her grandmother, Mrs. E. C. Sickels. Next Monday she will be joined by six young ladies from Milwaukee, whom she has invited to camp with her, and they will spend two weeks at Necedah lodge.

Picnic at Chuck Home.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Schuck entertained 30 friends of Palmyra at their home in South Dixon Sunday with a picnic dinner. A delightful day was spent and all report an enjoyable time.

With Mrs. Pitcher.

The Women's Home Missionary society of the M. E. church will hold their regular meeting tomorrow afternoon at the home of Mrs. L. D. Pitcher, 410 Second street. All ladies of the congregation are cordially invited.

At Fitzgerald Home.

John Stang and Henry Hough of Racine are guests at the P. J. Fitzgerald home.

With Bridge.

Mrs. Edward McCleary entertained the South Side Bridge club at the home of her mother, Mrs. A. L. Barlow, this afternoon.

We are showing some beautiful new styles in photographs, suitable for commencement pictures.

CHASE STUDIO.

Guessing at Glasses

Is more dangerous than guessing at most anything else in the world.

If relief from the errors of vision is to come through the wearing of glasses, it is all important that those glasses be adjusted according to the measurements of the most modern appliances.

Choosing glasses by simply trying them on cannot be too strongly condemned.

Absolute accuracy is essential, and absolute accuracy is what we offer you. Phone any day you can, and we will give you our immediate and undivided attention.

DR. W. F. AYDELOTTE,
Neurologist and Health Instructor,
223 Crawford Ave., Dixon.
Phone 160 for Appointments.

Class Picnic.

Mrs. Austin Smith's Sunday school class of St. Paul's Lutheran church held a picnic today at Lowell park.

Entertained Today.

Mrs. Edith Willey entertained a few friends at her home this afternoon.

With Mrs. McWethy.

The Women's Missionary Society of the Baptist church will meet with Mrs. George McWethy at Assembly park Thursday at 4 o'clock. The men of the church are cordially invited to attend the scramble supper to be served at 6.

Picnic at Assembly.

The Aid and Missionary Societies of St. Paul's Lutheran church will hold their regular missionary meeting Thursday at 2:30 near the Log Cabin. A picnic supper will be served and families and friends are invited to attend.

Rally Day at Zion Church.

Next Sunday is the big day at Zion church. The program will open at 10 in the morning and 2:30 in the afternoon. Those who used to worship at Zion and have removed from the community are coming.

Special music, instrumental and vocal, will be features of the day. Cornet and violin solos are to be rendered.

Some of the people will have their friends in the homes for dinner but others will spend the noon hour in the shade of the trees near the church and have a picnic dinner. Many are planning to come from near and far and all are invited.

Sterlingites in Grand Detour.

Misses Irene and Maude Bassett, Edith Dillon and Anna Diller of Sterling motored to Grand Detour Monday and spent the day.

Held Picnic Today.

Mrs. Austin Smith's Sunday school class of St. Paul's Lutheran church enjoyed a picnic today at Lowell park.

SCALP TROUBLE FOR OVER TEN YEARS

Small Bunches on Scalp. Itched, Formed Scale. Hair Came Out. Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment Cured in Two Months.

268 Harrison St., Elyria, Ohio.—"My case was a scalp trouble. I first noticed small bunches on my scalp which commenced to itch and I would scratch them and in time they got larger, forming a scale or scab with a little pus, and chunks of hair would come out when I would scratch them off. It caused me to lose most of my hair. It became thin and dry and lifeless. I was troubled for over ten years with it until it got so bad I was ashamed to go to a barber to get my hair cut.

"I tried everything I could get hold of, but received no cure until I commenced using Cuticura Soap and Ointment when the scale commenced to disappear. The way I used the Cuticura Soap and Ointment was to wash my scalp twice a day with warm water and Cuticura Soap and rub on the Cuticura Ointment. I received benefit in a couple of weeks and was cured in two months." (Signed) F. J. Bushner, Jan. 28, 1913.

Why not have a clear skin, soft white hands, a clean scalp and good hair? It is your birthright. Cuticura Soap with an occasional use of Cuticura Ointment will bring about these coveted conditions in most cases when all else fails. Sold throughout the world. Liberal sample of each mailed free, with 32-p. Skin Book. Address post-card "Cuticura, Dept. T, Boston."

Men who shave and shampoo with Cuticura Soap will find it best for skin and scalp.

Good All Round

aids to good health—and to the strength, comfort and cheerfulness which depend on the condition of health—are the famous, time-tested, safe and speedy

BEECHAM'S PILLS

Sold everywhere. In boxes, 10c., 25c.

Not Satisfied

to merely say that my work is better (anybody can do that). I want to DEMONSTRATE it.

DR. ROSE
OPTICIAN
Tests Eyes, Sells Glasses.
214 First St. Phone 461

Clover Leaf Club.

The Clover Leaf club met this afternoon with Misses Edna and Bessie Lehman of the Chicago road.

For Miss Jocelyn.

Miss Edna Rosbrook will entertain tomorrow afternoon for Miss Bernice Jocelyn, who is the guest of Mrs. Robert Sterling.

Entertain Tonight.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sterling will entertain a few friends this evening with a scramble supper in the houseboat up the river for Miss Bernice Jocelyn.

Meet Tomorrow.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Christian church meets tomorrow afternoon at the church. Ladies please come prepared to sew.

Picnic Friday.

The Sunday school of the Evangelical church will enjoy a picnic at Lowell park Friday.

ROAD BUILDING.

Jefferson City, Mo., July 9—Governor Major will issue a proclamation soon calling on the men to devote two days to road building during August.

DIXONS RETURN.

Attorney George C. Dixon and family have returned from a two weeks' outing at the Dixon cottage above Grand Detour.

TO VISIT SON.

Mrs. Charles E. Brenner of York, Pa., is expected here soon to make an extended visit with her son, G. W. Brenner, and wife of 393 Squires avenue.

TAKEN TO HOSPITAL.

Mrs. Fred E. Smith was taken to the Katherine Shaw Betha hospital today where she will undergo an operation.

VISITING IN MISSOURI.

Thomas Hults and family left today for Martinsburg, Mo., to visit relatives for a month. Mr. Hults' parents reside there.

Dramatic Notes

FAMILY THEATRE

This evening the Pathe Weekly is the prominent picture at the Family. Other pictures: The Sea Maiden, An Old Actor and The Phoney Singer. Pathe's Weekly are pictures all should see. The ones tonight are the best obtainable.

Miss Ethel Deming has gone to St. Paul to spend her vacation with Mrs. Bovey.

Mrs. M. W. Rowe and Miss Olive Anderson visited yesterday in Franklin Grove.

Real Estate at Auction

One of the Best Lee County Farms to Go Under the Hammer.

Having concluded to dispose of my farm lands, and sell them with the least possible delay, I have thrown them on the market and will take what they bring, believing that at least they will sell for a fair price, as it is close to as good a stock and grain market as any in the state, with good school and churches close by. Sale to take place at the residence, one mile north and one mile east of West Brooklyn, Lee County, Illinois, on

TUESDAY, JULY 15TH, 1913

At Two O'Clock P. M.

This farm consists of 370 acres of as good producing land as there is in Brooklyn Township, and that means as there is in Lee County. It is capable of being divided into two or three farms, but makes an ideal farm as it is. There are 300 acres under the plow, and 70 acres in a well fenced pasture. The farm is fenced with woven wire, with barbed wire on top, on all division and cross fence. There are 3800 rods of tile on this farm, and it doesn't need any more; no tile smaller than four-inch and none larger than ten-inch. There is a good well 378 feet deep, pumped with a 2-horse tread power. There is also a shallow well at the barn that never fails. The barn is 30x60 with 20-foot posts; one corn crib 24x48, with shed 16x28 that connects it with the barn; one crib 24x32; hog house 20x40, new.

The house is a full two story, 14 rooms, cellar 26x36, good well and cistern, lots of fruit and shade trees around house. This farm is described as follows—Lot No. 20, Northwest Quarter Section 4; West Half of West Half of the Southwest Quarter of Section 4; Southeast Quarter of Northeast Quarter of Section 5; East Half of Southeast Quarter of Section 5; East Half of the Northwest Quarter of Section 8; West Half of West Half of the Northwest Quarter of Section 9; all in Brooklyn Township, Lee County, Illinois.

My tenant, who has been on the farm for ten years, and is one of the best, has a lease for the year 1914 at \$2,000, and I will sell subject to his lease.

TERMS OF SALE:—Thirty-three and one-third per cent of the purchase price to be paid cash in hand of sale, which amount I will pay interest on at 5 per cent to March 1st, 1914, when balance of purchase price is to be paid in cash, when possession will be given and deed with abstract showing clear title furnished.

If you are interested keep you're on the date, for this farm will surely change hands at that time. Parties from a distance will be cared for; and the train that arrives at Brooklyn at 8 o'clock that morning will be met.

P. W. Mason, Auct.

W. J. Edwards, Clerk.

J. P. JOHNSON.

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City In Brief

Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Sickels and children of St. Paul will arrive Saturday for a visit at the home of Mrs. E. C. Sickels.

Dick Dement has gone to Waukegan to visit his sister.

F. E. Stiteley and Homer Senneff were in Polo yesterday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Hetzler of LaMoille are here visiting their son, Dexter.

D. A. Becker of Freeport is here visiting friends. He traveled for the Keystone company at Sterling. Gus Woodyatt went to Mendota to attend the races.

Webster Poole will attend the Mendota races tomorrow.

Fred M. Smith went to DeKalb today.

Robert (Red) Carroll went to the Mendota races today.

Geo. Slothower went to Morrison today on business.

C. S. Bideway of Springfield is here on business.

Thomas Roche of Pontiac was here yesterday on business.

J. Latham of Sandwich was here Tuesday.

J. Knox of Belvidere was here on business yesterday.

Landlord G. G. McCarty of the Dixon Inn, went to Freeport today on business.

George Isenhart and wife of Chicago are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Stitzel.

D. L. McLaughlin of Ohio, Ill., was here today.

Miss Amy Sickels is home from DeKalb for a month's visit with her mother, Mrs. E. C. Sickels.

Henry O'Hare of Walton was here Tuesday.

Louis Boucher of Franklin was in town today.

D. D. Leonard of Harmon was in Dixon today.

F. G. Guffin and Robert Wells of Pawpaw were here today.

Charles Guffin of West Brooklyn was in Dixon today on business.

Thomas Blackburn of Marion was here today.

C. S. Goodwin and mother from Wheaton are visiting at the home of I. M. Goodwin.

E. S. Higgins, wife and daughter and nephew of Elgin are visiting at the Austin O'Malley home in Marion.

Miss Ora Bennett of Lighthouse is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Minnie Bennett, 614 College avenue.

QUIT KIDDING.

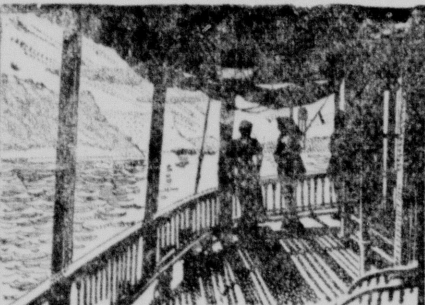


She—I see by the papers a girl of eighteen married a man of seventy-eight yesterday.

He—It wouldn't be hard to guess which one had the money.

An Easy Life.

The copper walks upon his beat, With most complacent smirk, Or chats with friends he hopes to meet, And yet he calls that work.

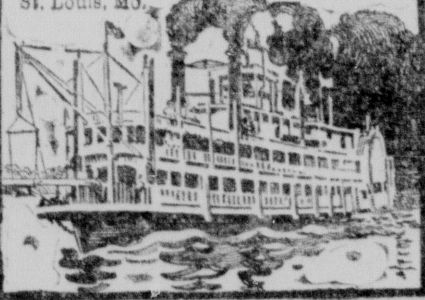


Up the Mississippi!

Beautiful scenery—cool river breezes. Scores of interesting stopping points, including the \$28,000,000, Keokuk dam—largest in the world. Music, dancing, entertainments. Every mile and minute of your trip between St. Louis and St. Paul is filled with pleasures and scenes new to you.

"America's best river service" Streckfus Steamers provide trips of from 2 to 10 days. Largest, fastest river steamers in the country. Big comfortable electric lighted, ventilated staterooms, and the finest meals you ever ate.

Illustrated Vacation Folder today from your railroad agent, or write Streckfus Steamboat Line, 1000 St. Louis, Mo.



Not That Kind. "Did that young lawyer indulge in much circumlocution when he proposed to you, Miss Rocksleigh?" "Yes, he tried to; but of course I pushed his arm away every time. You know I ain't that kind of a girl."

A Contrary Habit. "Is your laundress a careful washerwoman?" "Yes, despite the fact that she lets things go by the board."

Too Late To Classify

FOUND. Letter containing check addressed to Alfa Signara. Owner may have same by identifying property and paying for ad. 613

FOR RENT. Furnished rooms. Some for light housekeeping for one or two persons. 408 Hennepin Ave. 613

WANTED. Girl to do housework for family of two. Enquire at this office. 613

WANTED. Party to take part of 5-room tent during Assembly. Enquire of Blake Grover. Phone 1005 or 97. 613

WANTED. Four men to work at Assembly Park. Apply to H. M. Rasch, Secretary, at A. L. Gelsenheimer & Co. 1

FOR SALE. I have a farm well located in southern Minnesota, just across the Iowa line, and one in Cass county, North Dakota, 2 1-2 miles from Grandin, a good town, in the heart of the Red River Valley, with three grain elevators. I will sell either one or both. If interested write me. X, care of Telegraph. 613

LOST. Pocketbook on interurban car between Dixon and Sterling, on Monday afternoon. Reward if returned to this office. 613

"OUR MOTTO"

"Count that day lost,
Whose low descending sun;
Sees coal that's sold at cost
And business done for fun."

D. B. RAYMOND & SON
Phone 119 North Dixon Coal Yard

CHILDREN'S DRESSES

A visit to our Ready-to-wear Department will convince you that our display of Childrens Dresses is without question the most complete to be found. The showing includes

Dresses of All Styles and colorings, in sizes ranging from 2 years to 12 years, low neck and short sleeves, plain, gathered, or plaited skirts, in plaids, stripes, figured patterns etc. Some are plain styles while others are effectively trimmed with braids, fancy buttons etc. Prices range from 50c to \$3.25

O. H. Martin & Co.

"The Store That Sells Woolltex"

DEMENTTOWN ... DOINGS

Goose Hollow Letter

Every time Elmer Spinks falls in love with a new trimmer who comes here to work in our millinery store, he loses his appetite. It has saved him a good deal in the way of cost of livin' during the last ten years.

Old man Hicks says any durn fool ought to know whether it is hot or cold without goin' to look at a thermometer.

Lem Purdy is expectn' to go out west soon to start a newspaper. Well anybody kin start one, but it takes a genius to keep her goin'.

Anse Frisby claims that if he don't have any more tire trouble he may get a new suit of clothes this year.

Old Grandpa Perkins, who is getting along in years and is some deaf, was going into the opry house the other evening with his ear trumpet under his arm. The manager of the show stopped him and said: "The orchestra entrance is around back of the stage."

Lem Purdy always wears specs because he trades horses a lot and it's a states prison offense to hit a man who has got 'em on.

Hank Tumms has got two daughters who recite and another who is a well known vocalist, and he spends all of his evenings down at the Golden Nugget.

The prize in the smallest beefsteak for the money must go to a Pawamo man. A Pawamo man bought 20 cents worth of steak and received a nickel in change. On his arrival at home he failed to locate the meat. At last he found a stray nickel in his pocket. In an absent-minded way he put the meat in his purse and the nickel in his pocketbook.

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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Sealed proposals addressed to the Board of Local Improvements and the Council of the City of Dixon, Lee County, Illinois, and endorsed proposals for the furnishing of the labor and materials for and the construction of Vitrified Tile Pipe Sewer with manholes, lampholes, storm-water inlets and house-connection laterals on Galena Avenue from the manhole at its intersection with Seventh Street to its intersection with the center line of Tenth Street, and on Tenth Street from the manhole to be constructed at its intersection with Galena Avenue to a point 235 feet westerly therefrom, in the City of Dixon, Lee County, Illinois, as provided for in Local Improvement Ordinance No. 143, Series of 1913, of said City of Dixon will be received by the Board of Local Improvements and the Council of the City of Dixon, Lee County, Illinois, at the City Clerk's office in said City of Dixon, until two o'clock in the afternoon on Monday, July 14th, A. D. 1913, and will be publicly opened by the Mayor of said City of Dixon (who is President of said Board of Local Improvements) at a joint meeting of said Council and Board of Local Improvements to be held in the Council Chamber in the City Hall in said City of Dixon at two o'clock in the afternoon on said day. Said bids shall be opened by the Mayor in the presence of a majority of the Council and shall remain on file in the Mayor's Office and be open to public inspection for at least forty-eight hours before an award of said contract is made to any competitive bidder. After the expiration of forty-eight hours, as stated above, said Council and Board of Local Improvements shall meet in joint session and determine the most advantageous bid for the City and publicly declare the same.

That the work for which said tenders are invited is the construction of about 1375.6 cubic yards of excavation, about 74 cubic yards of rock excavation, about 1080 linear feet of 12" sewer pipe (laid), about 260 linear feet of 10" sewer pipe (laid), about 235 linear feet of 8" sewer pipe (laid), about 650 linear feet of 6" sewer pipe (laid); One (1) lamp-hole, complete with C. I. cover; Six (6) manholes, complete with C. I. covers and gutter inverts, and Six (6) cement headers at inlets as provided for in Local Improvement Ordinance No. 143, Series of 1913, of the City of Dixon, Illinois.

Each bid for this work must be accompanied by certified check or cash for an amount not less than ten percent of the aggregate of such proposals. All certified checks must be drawn upon some responsible bank and must be payable to the order of the President of the Board of Local Improvements in his official capacity. No bids will be considered unless accompanied by such certified check or cash.

Said cash or certified checks will be held by said Board of Local Improvements until all the bids have been canvassed and the contract has been awarded and signed. The return of said checks or cash to the successful bidder being conditioned upon his appearance within fifteen (15) days after having been notified of the award having been made to him or them, accompanied by his or their bondsmen and executing a contract with said Board of Local Improvements for the completion of the work so awarded and giving a bond satisfactory to the Board of Local Improvements and the Council of the City of Dixon.

A bond of Two Thousand (2,000) Dollars will be required conditioned for the fulfillment of the contract in accordance with the ordinance and specifications and to the satisfaction of the said Board of Local Improvements and Council of the City of Dixon. All proposals must be made on blanks which will be furnished bidders at said City Clerk's Office.

The payment for the work for which said tenders are invited is to be made in cash or bonds, payable when the contract is complete, and the work accepted by the Board of Local Improvements and Council of the City of Dixon, bonds to draw interest at Five per centum. No bid will be considered unless the party making it shall furnish evidence satisfactory to said Board of Local Improvements and Council of the City of Dixon of his experience and ability in this class of work and that he can control sufficient capital to enable him to successfully prosecute the same in case the contract shall be awarded to him.

Bidders will examine the ordinance, maps, plats, plans, profiles, and specifications and also the locality in which said work is to be done and judge for themselves of all the circumstances and surrounding conditions affecting the cost and nature of the work.

Specifications are on file in the Mayor's office, and also may be seen at the office of the City Clerk of the City of Dixon from and after this date.

The Board of Local Improvements and Council reserve the right to reject any and all bids.

Dated at Dixon, Illinois, July 2nd, A. D. 1913.

Signed: THE COUNCIL AND BOARD OF LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS OF THE CITY OF DIXON.

By MARK C. KELLER,
Their Attorney.

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MASTER-IN-CHANCERY SALE.

Public notice is hereby given that under and by virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court in and for the County of Lee and State of Illinois, made and entered on the 22nd day of April, 1913, in a certain cause therein pending wherein Amanda Morris is complainant and Jeremiah Mostoller and others are defendants, Foreclosure No. 3011, I, the undersigned Master in Chancery of said court will at the hour of nine o'clock in the forenoon on the 19th day of July, 1913, at the north door of the Court House in the City of Dixon, in said County, sell at public vendue to the highest and best bidder for cash in hand the following described premises, to-wit:

Lots Four (4), Five (5), Six (6), Seven (7) and Eight (8) in Block Seven (7) in the Town of Eldena, Lots Eight (8), Nine (9), Ten (10), Eleven (11), Twelve (12) and Thirteen (13) in Block One (1) in said Town of Eldena, and Lots One (1), Two (2), Three (3), Four (4), Five (5), Six (6), Seven (7), Eight (8) and Nine (9) in Block Number Two (2) in said Town of Eldena, all in Lee County, Illinois, according to a plat of said Town recorded in the office of the Recorder of Lee County, Illinois;

Or so much thereof as may be sufficient to realize the amount found by said decree to be due complainant both principal and interest and costs of suit and sale and which may be sold separately without material injury to the parties interested.

Dated at Dixon, Ill., this 16th day of June, A. D. 1913.

ABALINO C. BARDWELL,
Master in Chancery
Henry C. Warner, Solicitor.

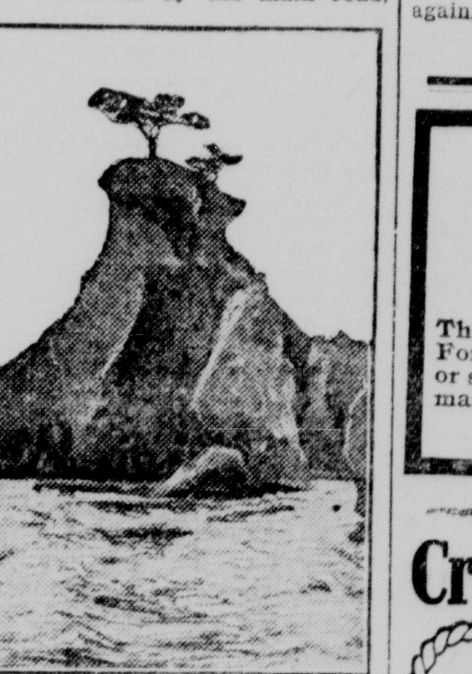
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NOTED LAVA CAVE IN HAWAII

Tunnel Made by Overflow of Molten Rock Discharged by Mount Mauna Kea.

Hilo, Hawaii.—A short distance from the town of Hilo, the capital of Hawaii, which is the largest island of the Hawaiian Archipelago, is a wonderful lava tunnel, called by the natives the Cave of Kaumana. Through this tunnel, which has an average width of 20 feet, flowed the stream of molten rock discharged from Mt. Mauna Kea, which, hard by, rears itself to a height of 13,000 feet. It is likely that the torrent originated high up the mountain, and, as the surface of the lava grew cold, the molten stream sped on beneath, to emerge lower down as a fiery geyser, spreading ruin on all sides.

To reach Kaumana the traveler leaves the town by the main road.



Entrance to Cave of Kaumana From the Sea.

says the London Field. Three miles out beds of lava begin to be encountered on every hand. It is 30 years since the flow ceased, and vegetation is now beginning to cover the area of destruction. The route follows the edge of the lava beds for a distance of about 20 minutes' walk, and then turns across the scattered array of hummocks to where, a hundred yards further on, is the entrance to the cave or tunnel. The view from this point is extensive and varied. There is the blue expanse of the Pacific, perhaps dotted with vessels making for the harbor, or Japanese "pow-er" sampans returning from a night's fishing. The smoke to the right ascends from Kilauea's mighty crater, and the scene is completed leftwards by the snow-capped summit of Mauna Kea. But the special object of the trip is to see what lies below. The

storekeeper who lives near will supply rough-and-ready torches for five cents each, and no farther outfit is really required for the trip underground, though there are some dainty mortals who bring a suit of overalls. The torches are joints of bamboo filled with oil, in which is a primitive wick, and they prove most effective. The opening to the tunnel is shrouded by a thicket of scrub. A wooden ladder leads down to the floor, a distance of perhaps 25 feet. Rows of diminutive stalactites hang from the roof, glittering in their youth, for they are hardly more than 20 years old and in the formative stage. The sides of the passage are smooth and sometimes damp, but the floor is scored and rough.

A distance of three miles can be covered with the help of the torch, but care is needed where the tree roots thrust themselves through the roof of the tunnel. The presence of these pendant roots indicates that the surface of the lava bed is only a few feet above, and judicious blasting would usefully provide another entrance near the beautiful Rainbow Falls. In places crawling has to be resorted to, but a few strokes of a pickax would doubtless remove the necessity for even stooping.

OFFICER KEEPS SELF WARM

Policeman Covers Standing Place in Order to Avoid Cold in Winter.

St. Louis.—Patrolman R. O. Ely, a member of the traffic squad in East St. Louis, is taking no chances on getting cold feet in winter. On the spot where he has to stand in order to direct passing vehicles, there is an iron manhole. The iron plate made an ideal place from which to signal in summer, but with the cold weather the sheet of iron became cold, so did the patrolman's feet. So he has made at his own expense a rubber and fiber jacket, and has obtained permission to cover the manhole with the non-conductor of cold.

HIS MISTAKE EXPLAINED.

The gentleman who wore evening clothes and the remnants of a jag at nine o'clock in the morning was clinging to the footboard of a crowded surface car in Chicago. As the car rounded a sharp curve with a jerk the person in the incongruous apparel fell quickly and heavily to the cobblestones. He was picked up by the strong hands of the conductor and about twenty passengers.

"Collision?" he asked in a dignified tone of voice.
"No," said the conductor.
"Off the track?" further questioned the victim of the accident.
"No," said the conductor.
"Well," concluded he of the jag, "if I had known that I wouldn't have got off."—Popular Magazine.

Quite Aware of It.

Percollum (of the Daily Bread)—My dear, you are not only my chief incentive to work but my lifelong inspiration.

Mrs. Percollum—I know I'm your inspiration, all right, Percollum. Whenever I mix a metaphor or make a little mistake in my grammar you turn it into a story and get pay for it!

Two or Three.

Country Cousin—Well, I was in the Metropolitan museum this morning.

City Host—That's nothing to brag about. I know two or three fellows living right here in New York who have been there.—Smart Set.

His Idea.

"Don't you think we have laws enough already, senator?"

"Oh, yes; but if I don't let 'em know what I'm here for, I'll never get here again."

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Light Can't Harm Schlitz in Brown Bottles

IMPORTANT

Our reason for using a case with lid is to prevent the sun or light from coming in contact with the beer.

Drinkables should be kept covered and protected at all times. When repacking for fishing, hunting and other outings, a cover or paper lid should be placed on the receptacle holding same, the sun or light affecting the quality.

This case contains cards with this notice. Please hand them to your friends, and caution your people accordingly, thereby greatly obliging

Anheuser-Busch, St. Louis.

Read that "Budweiser" card again

It concedes our claims—light bottles do not protect the beer from the damaging effects of sun or light.

Light starts decay even in pure beer.

Schlitz in Brown Bottles is made pure and then kept pure from the brewery to your glass.

Tell your friends.

Phone Home City
Central Union 253
Geo. Schorr
701 Jackson Ave.

Phone 475
John Fellows
117 Peoria Ave.

Schlitz
The Beer
That Made Milwaukee Famous.



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SUICIDE HOLDS BIG LINER

Passenger Jumps Overboard in Gale;
Rescue Attempt From Ship's
Ladder.

New York.—The story of a thrilling but fruitless attempt to rescue a man who had jumped overboard in mid-ocean was related by passengers and the crew of the French liner France, which arrived in port from Havre thirty hours late. The incident occurred during a ninety-mile gale which

only the hardest passengers ventured on deck. During the morning a three-ton which had been washed overboard.

William Lees of Manchester, England, a first-class passenger, appeared on the promenade deck at 4 o'clock. He made his way along the cabins until he met a sailor, to whom he handed a note addressed to the captain. Then without warning Lees leaped over the rail into the sea.

The cry of "man overboard" was raised. Captain Poncelet and his officers on the bridge could see a black object appearing at intervals on the tops of waves astern. The sea was too rough to admit of lowering a boat. Captain Poncelet swung his ship in a circle until he had the vessel directly alongside of Lees, who, while making no efforts to support himself, was floating.

The skipper directed that a sailor be lowered over the side by a rope. Try as he would, the man could not reach Lees, who was floating face downward with arms extended.

The sailor was drawn aboard after a few minutes and a ship's ladder was lowered. Another sailor descended this and, hanging to the bottom step, reached out every time the roll of the ship permitted and made a grab for Lees. After a dozen unsuccessful tries he managed to get his fingers clutched in the clothing of the man in the water, when a heavy wave rolled along and whipped the prize from his grasp.

Then the captain lowered a boat far enough to touch the water, but not floating on it. In it were a dozen sailors. They were reaching for Lees with a boat hook when the body sank.

Another Blow at the Public Towel.
Washington.—The common towel has been ordered abolished from railroad cars, vessels, all other interstate vehicles and from stations, by Secretary MacVeagh of the treasury department, in an amendment to the interstate quarantine regulation. This action follows closely the abolition of the common drinking cup from use on interstate carriers. Towels may be used again only after being sterilized in boiling water.

Kills Board Bill Jumper.
Robins Mill, Tenn.—John Studstill, charged with attempting to jump a board bill, was shot and killed by William Knight, an officer. Knight claims he shot only to frighten the fleeing man.

Wanted at Once

25 Additional
Women and Girls
at
Corset Factory

H. W. Gossard Co.

WANTED **CHERRY** **Pickers**

Large cherries and full trees. 300
bushels to pick. Wagon leaves bridge
at 6:30 a. m.

C. HEY

MOTORCYCLISTS TO GET L AD HAND

**TIP THROUGH THIS SECTION
WILL DEMONSTRATE
THEIR SPORT**

Each year the Federation of American Motorcyclists, the national organization devoted to motorcycling, holds a national convention. Every year riders from every part of the country gather at the convention to meet old friends and make new ones, to exchange ideas and gain information, to enjoy a pleasant holiday in congenial company and (not of least importance) to elect new officers for the coming year and outline plans for new activities. The 1913 convention is to be held in Denver July 23-26, and bids fair to outdo all previous conventions, not only on account of greater facilities for its holding but also in elaborateness of entertainment.

Some of those who attend the annual conventions travel by train, but the greater number rely on the "sling leg tracker." And what a wonderful trip it will be this year! What a grand opportunity it presents to those who have never visited that portion of Nature's Wonderland, the Garden of the Gods, Pike's Peak, Platte Canon, Manitou, the Continental Divide Cripple Creek! All of these, and "then some," within easy distance of Denver, the Convention City, "Mile High Town."

In making plans for the Annual Meet, the officers of the F. A. M., pay particular attention to the arrangements for the great National Tours. The country is divided into sections, each one forming one "Division" of the Tour. An experienced and capable rider is selected as tourmaster of each division. The tourmaster sub-divides his territory, appoints riders in the different localities to organize and have charge of the companies, lays out the route, figures the running schedule, names the night and noon stops, and secures hotel accommodations and special rates. Everything possible is done to make the Tour pleasant and to avoid any disagreeable circumstances.

P. N. Bushnell, of Aberdeen, S. D., Tourmaster of the eastern division, has received letters from the different cities along the route of his division, promising much entertainment and assuring those who take the trip, of a hearty welcome wherever they stop.

The following comes from Sterling, Ill., which is the noon stop for the Chicago Division, July 14th—"We will give your men a live time here. We have a motorcycle club, and they, together with the commercial club, will take good care of you. Good hard roads in every direction."

The Commercial club and the dealers of Davenport are working to gether on a celebration, details of which will be announced soon.

At Iowa City the tourists will visit the old State Capitol building, which is one of the few buildings in the country in a good state of preservation that shows the early from of construction. Several other points of interest will also be seen, one being the hydro-electric power plant.

At Marshalltown the tourists have had extended to them the full privileges of the Commercial club rooms. An a la carte lunch will be served at very moderate prices here.

From Albert, Lea, Minn., comes the following: "Of course we will be delighted to entertain the motorcycle tourists this summer, and we trust

there will be no switch in the arrangements whereby they would go in another direction, as we have a large number of motorcyclists here who will give them the glad hand and they will be joined heartily in the work of welcoming and entertaining them by the motor car owners and drivers. I have conferred with several and they were enthusiastic in expressions of delight at the prospective visitation. Of course it is a bit early to decide upon the entertainment proposition, as you do not propose a long stay in the city, but there will be a hand, probably a lunch, and anything else that can be devised to make their stay here pleasant, as we feel the city has a reputation to sustain and this would not be a good time to make failure. We have a nice lake with good boating, beautiful drives, etc., etc., but twenty minutes, the time you suggest as the duration of your stop, would not permit much elaborating."

Atlantic, Iowa, which is the noon stop for the 16th, welcomes the tourists as follows: "It gives us great pleasure to know that the motorcycle tourists are coming through our city, and will take lunch with us. You can feel assured that Atlantic will spare no pains in making your visit a most pleasant one."

Omaha, where all of the three branches meet, is making extensive preparations for "big doings" the evening of the 16th. There will be a mammoth motorcycle parade and tour of the city. Mr. Parrish of the Commercial club, says, "I believe we will prove to you that Omaha is on the map."

At Lincoln, Neb., the tourists will have the courtesies of the Lincoln Commercial club extended to them while in the city. There will also be salt water bathing, and there will also be a parade and races. At Grand Island a good time is assured: "We expect to have the band out on this occasion, and have several interesting places we would like to have you visit. There will be plenty of autos for those who care to use them. Our other entertainments will be planned according to the time you will be here. Grand Island was never known to do anything half way, and I will lay plans to see that something happens every minute of your stay."

At Kearney there will be a visit to the reform school. Those who "get past" there can visit the military academy and other places of interest. There will be a dance in the evening.

At North Platte there is a visit to Buffalo Bill's ranch, and probably a dance in the evening. At Julesburg, Buffalo Bill's Wild West Show is scheduled for an afternoon performance the 20th.

At Sterling, the big feature will be a trip to North Sterling Reservoir, one of the largest irrigation projects in the west, furnishing water for over 80,000 acres.

Listen to this from Davenport, Ia.: "Free transportation from hotels to our public park called Zum Alten-dorf, where free refreshments will be served and where a band concert will be given along with other amusements. This park also has excellent facilities for serving meals. Dinner can be purchased at reasonable rates. We will do all in our power to see that you are royally entertained."

The Tour reaches Denver the evening of the 21st. The 22nd will be occupied with a sight seeing tour of the city, and the tour will end officially with a banquet at the Standish hotel, the evening of the 22nd. The convention opens the next morning.

SHOOTING ENDS WEDDING.

Bloomington: Frank Jakes, a young man residing on the west side, was arrested charged with assault with intent to kill after he had shot Wm. Brown, a neighbor, through the right arm, just above the elbow, with a 22 rifle. The shooting was the termination of a wedding celebration in Stevensonville and occurred at about 11:30.

CASE OF CITY VS.

LOESCHER SETTLED
The case of the City of Dixon vs. Louis Loesch, which was called for hearing before Justice Hanekon this morning was settled. Officer Winters who preferred the complaint, withdrawing his charge out of deference to the witnesses and on the defendant agreeing to pay costs.

SUBLETTE MAN IS FIRST TO MAKE REPORT

A. H. Lauer of Sublette is the first of the school treasurers of Lee county to file his annual report with Supt. L. W. Miller.

TRAVELING OVERLAND

J. J. Smith, wife and two daughters of Ottumwa, Ia., stopped here last night on their way to a resort in Wisconsin, putting up at the Dixon Inn. They are traveling overland in an auto.

LAMAR EXPOUNDS CODE OF STREET

**Gives Senate Committee View of
Alleged Methods of Finan-
cial World.**

HIS EXAMINATION IS CONCLUDED

**Investigation of Activities of Sugar In-
terests Against Removal of Duty
Is Resumed—Trust Domina-
tion Is Charged.**

DAVID LAMAR'S ESTIMATE OF WALL STREET ETHICS

When a man is engaged in an effort to injure you or trick you in Wall street, use the very methods against him he has used against you so long as you keep out of jail.

Everything goes. Once you put your shoulder to the plow, honor goes out of the window. I have been plowing in the Wall street field for 25 years.

If I can rely on the proposition that the end justifies the means, then I have acted only in an honorable way, for such is the kingdom of Wall street.

When I represented myself as Chairman McCombs in my telephone message to Chairman Hill, I was in Wall street at its best.

You do not work in Wall street as you do on a New Jersey farm. Everything is different.

In my testimony before this committee I have had in mind my soul's salvation. In Wall street, I am never under oath.

I am through with it all. I am done with the whole business.

Washington, July 9.—David Lamar, "the wolf of Wall street," ended his testimony before the "lobby" committee of the United States senate by laying before it his private interpretation of the "Wall street code of morals." Lamar made a melodramatic stage villain as he mingled his revelations of his strange ethics with glib talk about his "soul's salvation" and his new found penitence.

Beyond drawing from "Lamar," "the Wolf of Wall Street," some epigrams about the stock operator's world, the final hearings on this phase of the investigation developed little that threw new light on the machinations which have so aroused the interests of the country for several days.

Ineffectually members of the committee sought to trap "Lamar" into some admission that would indicate that he or his associates had profited from his operations either through "bearing" the stock market or otherwise.

Then what were the motives? First, he wanted to get "these people"—Lewis Cass Ledyard, the Morgans and Kuhn, Loeb & Co.—to recognize the folly and injustice of their attitude toward him and Mr. Lauterbach. As an alternative he wanted to bring the whole matter to an open issue by "an explosion" which would develop to the country the feeling against Lauterbach and himself through an investigation somewhere. Things had come out just as he had planned.

"Have you delivered your testimony here in a Wall street frame of mind?" finally was demanded.

"Ah, that's a different proposition," came back the witness in soft, dulcet tones, "when you are under oath and your soul's salvation depends on it."

"You think it would be a good thing for the morals of the world if the whole stock exchange system were wiped out?" blandly inquired Senator Nelson.

"I do," exclaimed "Lamar." And then after a few seconds' pause he added:

"I'm through with it."

Sugar Lobby Taken Up.

Charles D. Westcott, a Washington attorney who lives in Cuba, took up the sugar story again. He told of an unsuccessful effort he made to get Cuban planters to put up \$25,000 for the expenses of a free sugar campaign in Washington to offset the efforts of the anti-free sugar. He declared that his effort failed after he had believed it successfully launched, and gave it as his opinion that the "sugar trust" had been responsible. He said the trust accomplished this end by its influence with Cuban banks, which could force the growers to do what they wished by refusing to extend the necessary credit. He added that the Agrarian league, to which every grower feels obligated to belong, was dominated by the "trust," and that, acting in compliance with the combine's wishes, it had opposed a free sugar campaign.

Senator Cummins said he could understand the attitude of most men on the sugar question, but was greatly surprised to see an American interested in obtaining free sugar because it would benefit the Cuban planter. Westcott admitted that that was his principal object. He said he never expected a large fee from the conduct of the proposed campaign.

Poet Laureate Leaves \$10,000.

London, July 9.—The will of Alfred Austin, the late poet laureate, was probated. The estate, which amounts to \$10,490, is all bequeathed to the widow.

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ILLINOIS NEWS

FATHER PURSUES ELOPERS

El Paso: J. E. Sutton, a wealthy El Paso land owner, motored into LaSalle. He was in anything but an enviable frame of mind and he had every reason to appear in the role of an unhappy parent. He was searching for his 16 year old daughter, Mary, who, it is alleged, eloped the day before with one of the farm hands, J. H. Herrick, intent on being wed and it was in the hope of apprehending the couple before their plans could be carried out that Sutton came to LaSalle. He was accompanied by the El Paso chief of police and the pair conferred with the local department head while in this city. Sutton has offered a reward of \$500 for the return of his daughter to the family home and says he will enter charges of abduction against Herrick should he be caught.

VALUABLE PEARL FOUND.

Aurora: The most valuable pearl ever found on the American continent has been taken into Chicago to be appraised. It was valued at \$8,700 and was found several days ago by Dr. Jesse Carr of Sheridan, on the bank of the Fox river. It weighs 62 grains and is said to be a perfect specimen.

Dr. Carr had spent the day rowing and as he beached his boat his attention was attracted by a giant mussel shell. Not suspecting the treasure he pried open the shell and found the great pearl nestled inside.

PREFERS DEATH TO GENEVA

Aurora: Marie Ethel Miller, aged 13 years, who looks 18, attempted to drown herself in the Fox river at Ottawa after she learned that she was to be committed to the Geneva Girls' Home. She was rescued by Sheriff Mischke and Deputies Mischke and Benson. She informed her mother that she would drown herself rather than go to a training school and fled with her mother in pursuit.

MILLIKIN MAN IS A HERO.

Decatur: Wallace Holcomb, member of the Millikin football, basketball and baseball teams, figured in a sensational rescue of a drowning woman on the shore of Lake Michigan at Milwaukee. Crazed by the intense heat the woman jumped into the deep water of the lake and Holcomb, who was standing near, jumped in and pulled her out.

SCARELLI ESCAPES PRISON.

Joliet: To save himself from imprisonment, John Scarelli procured his release from the county jail and soon afterward married Mrs. Anna Tuccetti, his chief prosecutor. She charged him with taking \$4500 from her after he had won her affections. He was brought back from New York His wife furnished the bond upon which he was released.

SKULL OF MINER CRUSHED.

Taylorville: Morris Harris is dead at St. Vincent hospital. His skull was crushed in Peabody mine No. 7. He was the leader of a shift of men doing blasting. They had finished this work, however, when a piece of slate weighing about 50 pounds fell on his head.

PROMINENT PROHIBITION

CANDIDATE HERE TODAY

Hon. Eugene W. Chafin, prohibition candidate for president in 1908 and 1912, was here today enroute to Prophetstown from Freeport and he delivered a short address to a fair sized crowd at Galena avenue and First street while here. He told of the hopes of the prohibitionists and their reasons for wanting prohibition.

Highway Commissioner Clayton Bowers of Ashton was here today.

STOLE AUTO LICENSE

While his automobile was standing in the garage yesterday someone stole the license numbers from the machine. Mr. Jenssen suspects a certain party and has had a search warrant issued, which is now in the hands of the officers.

CHRIS RITTER RESIGNS.

After nine years of service in the Downing grocery, Chris Ritter has resigned his position and accepted a similar one in a retail grocery store at Freeport. Edward Large has accepted the position at the Downing store.

GETS SOIL EXPERT.

Champaign, July 9.—C. H. Oathout, a former state soil survey man, was selected today as agricultural adviser for Champaign county at a salary of \$600 a year.

ATTENDS FUNERAL.

Attorney Harry C. Warner went to Elgin today to attend the funeral of Mrs. Henry J. Brooks.

WONDERFUL CURIOSITY WITH BARNES CIRCUS

One of the greatest crowd attracting features ever known to amusement caterers were the Simese twins, that wonderful nature freak of the human race.

Another human curiosity, however is being shown this season with the Al. G. Barnes Big 3-Ring Wild Animal Circus, that is equally as wonderful as the famous twins. One in fact that has attracted far greater attention among students of anatomy, and about whom two entire volumes have been written, that are a part of every complete medical library.

Myrtle Corbin is unquestionably the greatest living human curiosity. Healthy, normal in every way, the little lady walks and does everything any woman cares to do. She is the possessor of four perfectly formed lower limbs. Two are slightly shorter than the others—otherwise they are perfect.

This lady is married and mother of four children, two boys and two girls, all of whom are perfectly formed.

Twenty other meritorious curiosities and vaudeville acts, including Princess Congo, the man-sized orang outang are shown in the Annaw show.

The Barnes show will give two performances here Monday, July 14. The mile-long glittering street parade is given at 10:30.

CARD OF THANKS

Daniel L. Blackburn extends his sincerest thanks to the many friends whose kindness and sympathy helped him during the illness and death of his wife.

DAN L. BLACKBURN.

ONLY PROPER REVENGE

**REBUKING THE PRESUMPTION OF
THE MARRIED WOMAN.**

Too Many Seek to Probe Into the
Heart Secrets of Their Less For-
tunate Sisters, and Deserve
Severe Treatment.

A good many inferences might be made about her own experience in preserving the tender passion with a live husband. To write so feelingly of the preservative qualities of a dead lover naturally suggests that a living spouse gave her cause to do some cobbling at the run-down heels of sentiment. But—that did not excuse her impertinence! Nothing gave her the right in the sight of God, man or other women; nothing excused her.

A cowboy with a record for men he had killed finally met his match. His admiring friends were "stumped" to find an epitaph to put upon the monument they built him. At last they had graven there in chaste and forceful simplicity, "He done his durnedest." I, too, faltering before the futility of language as a means of expressing just what the married woman does who asks the impertinent question, say, "She does—" It isn't necessary to repeat the quotation.

Why, the married woman who does it is a social ghoul coveting heedlessly, wantonly, cruelly, hideously on the grave of dead hopes, gouging her question into the body of lost love! Before she married she was like other women thoroughfarers. Afterward, seated in the matrimonial automobile, she dashes headlong among the ones who still walk and knocks the very breath out of them. Apparently, she thinks the marriage machine is meant to send single pedestrians scurrying and dodging. Anyway, that's the use she makes of it.

If married women forget how it feels to be unmarried and asked why, here is telling them! It feels painful and lonely and sad. It takes sweetness and courage and an enormous amount of the good, garden variety of sense to bear up gracefully. And when idle or thoughtless curiosity goes digging and snaggling and punching about in the sore and sacred places of the heart, the suffering and the rage it creates is too awful to mention.

What really ought to happen to these inquiring matrons is this: When one asks a maid the question, the maid should scare her into galloping hysterics by looking meaningfully at her one and only husband and observing, con expression—"The man I love is married!"

The matron would THINK. Indeed, she would be thinking even while she hurriedly pleaded an engagement and piloted her husband out of the maid's dangerous neighborhood. Possibly that is all that is needed—just to set the married interrogators thinking—to make them realize the enormity of their offense. Surely the utter violation of good taste, the inexcusable intrusion into personal affairs, the suffering they carelessly create must make them pause.

If a wife asks the REASON and a maid insinuates that SHE is IT, she levels the popgun of her impertinent inquiry full in the face of another spinster. And every matron made to think—and feel a little wholesome fear, perhaps—will mean one less maid, at least, to be grilled on the hot plate of the married woman's curiosity.

If every pretty and attractive unmarried woman would follow out this suggestion a reformation would be effected that would enable us to preserve the sacredness of our memories or our pride—or our reputations! It's worth trying!—New York Press.

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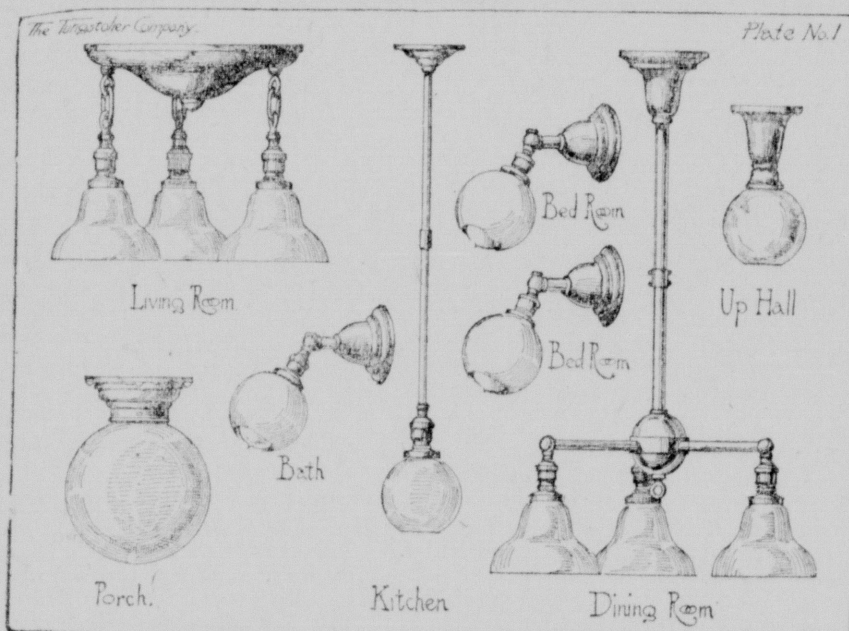
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"BIG BILL," the wrestling grizzly bear and his trainer, George Strakos, appearing with the Barnes Circus, which exhibits here on Monday, July 14th.

LEE NEWS NOTES

Lee, July 7.—Judge Whetston of Steward was here the first of the week.

O. E. Kennedy went to Chicago on Monday with two carloads of cattle of his own feeding.

S. Ostewig was in Kokomo, Ind., the first of the week to get another Jack Rabbit auto.

Miss Inez Elie has arrived home from a month's visit in Minnesota.

William Waters of Eldena visited old friends here this week.

Mrs. Luke Wheeler of Chicago is visiting her sister Mrs. O. E. Kennedy.

Mrs. F. M. Smith of Chicago visited the past week with Mrs. Clarence Cutts.

Mrs. J. B. Jacobson and sister, Miss Grace Smith visited in Rockford the past week.

Miss Celina Mertens went to Aurora Wednesday to visit for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Vosburg of Willow Creek and S. Vosburg of town, autoed to the Oakland home, north of DeKalb Wednesday.

The eleven pupils who were confirmed at the S. W. Lutheran church went to Rochelle Wednesday to get their pictures taken.

The 4th was well attended at Scarboro, and our pick up nine won the ball game 7 to 3.

Abe Cohen, our junk dealer, shipped a carload of iron Thursday.

Birthday Surprise
Nearing the 21st birthday of Frem Johnson, a crowd of 35 couple of young people visited at his home northeast of town Tuesday evening and all spent a delightful evening in games, etc.

Died
Mrs. J. W. Daurich who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. W. Brown, the past week, received a sad message Wednesday afternoon, stating that her husband was dead at Joplin, Mo., not explaining cause of death.

Mrs. Daurich and son and Mrs. Brown departed on the first train for Joplin.

J. W. Daurich will remembered in this vicinity as he was the editor of the Compton Citizen but a few years ago, and sold out his business to return to Missouri on account of his health.

A couple of auto loads of Leetles went to Rochelle Sunday to witness a ball game.

Mrs. Jas. Henderson met with an accident Thursday evening while returning to Lee in their auto. Gasoline was low and on taking an upgrade the machine refused to go any farther.

Mrs. Henderson got out to crank it and the crank gave a reverse snap breaking her arm.

Mrs. John Toutsch and children, who went to Pennsylvania about two months ago, returned home Friday evening.

Our town was routed out by a fire call from the country Friday noon, at the home of Mrs. O. R. Eden. Mrs. Eden was out on the highway picking berries and two little girls were left at the house, shooting fire crackers.

An auto load of young men happened along and saw smoke coming from the roof and investigated. They sent a call to Lee, when a few other auto loads went out to help. The fire was located between the walls. An axe was used to get at the trouble and the fire was soon extinguished. The dwelling was insured in the Forest City and damages have been put at \$200.

Mr. and Mrs. John Fassig and

John Zinke and family of West Brooklyn spent Sunday at the home of F. Erbes in Willow Creek.

AMBOY

Amboy, July 8.—H. F. Epperson and wife of Mendota were here on Tuesday.

Mrs. Anna Klein visited Mrs. Al-an Tait, a couple of days the first of the week.

Frank C. Vaughan was here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lumley Ingledew of Chicago were here the first of the week.

Several parties were down from Dixon today posting Assembly bulletins. The program arranged is a good one.

Mrs. Pike, who has been a patient at the Amboy hospital for some time, is better.

E. King of Lee Center is quite ill at his home. His many friends hope for his speedy recovery.

H. Hillson and Andrew Aschenbrenner were in Amboy Monday afternoon.

The Eastern Star chapter met for their regular meeting on Tuesday evening.

Miss Inez Walters is here to spend her vacation with her grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Huff, she is a graduate of the DeKalb Normal and has been teaching the past season.

Miss Ulch of Sublette was here Tuesday.

Mrs. Hermans is here visiting her daughter, Mrs. H. H. Badger, on Blackstone street.

MILITANT IS SENT TO JAIL
Miss Sylvia Pankhurst Refuses to Give Bond.

London, July 9.—Miss Sylvia Pankhurst, daughter of Mrs. Emmeline Pankhurst, the suffragette leader, was brought up at Bow street police court and found guilty of inciting people to commit disorders on June 29. She was ordered by the magistrate to find sureties in \$12,000 for good behavior for a year or go to prison for three months. Miss Pankhurst refused to find bonds and elected to go to Holloway jail, declaring she would at once start a hunger strike and also go without water.

Woman Leaps From Lake Boat.
Chicago, July 9.—Leaving a newspaper clipping of the death of a little girl as the only clue to her identity, a woman believed to be Mrs. Nellie Ashbrook of Chicago and St. Louis, leaped into Lake Michigan from the steamship City of Benton Harbor. The suicide occurred ten miles from Chicago. The vessel was bound for St. Joseph, Mich.

RAY PFANSCHMIDT TO HANG
Youth Who Murdered Four Persons to Die October 18.

Quincy, Ill., July 9.—Ray Pfanschmidt, the twenty-one-year-old slayer of his father, mother, sister and Miss Emma Kaempfen, a young school teacher friend, was sentenced to be hanged October 18.

Black Hand Methods.
"I received a letter from a trust magnate today," said the manager of the campaign fund.

"What does he want?"
"Wants to contribute. Says he has hidden \$5,000 in a hollow tree, and demands that we go and get it."

A Possibility.
Jinks—If I had not married I would be worth a million.

Binks—But I am single and penniless.

Jinks—Ah, but if you had married you might have learned to economize.

REAR ADMIRAL POTTS



Rear Admiral Templin Potts was placed on the retired list the other day, and as a closing incident of his career in the navy his flagship, the Louisiana, almost sank at Newport when a valve bonnet blew off, flooding the starboard engine room.

STORM HALTS AIRBOAT RACE

Two Flyers While on Way to Detroit Have Narrow Escape From Death.

HAVENS IS AT MICHIGAN CITY
Only One Entrant Is Successful In Making First Leg of Long Journey—Johnson to Quit Contest.

Chicago, July 9.—Aviators of two airboats in the International Great Lakes airboat race to Detroit had a narrow escape from death when their crafts were washed ashore in a violent gale.

One of them, the Benoist, favorite, piloted by Anthony Jannus of St. Louis, with J. A. McCullough as a passenger, broke a propeller, alighted in the water and was driven onto the rocks five miles east of Gary, Ind., and entirely demolished. Jannus and his passenger were themselves out in the heavy surf trying to keep the thin oaken hull from being smashed, but in vain.

A heavy windstorm beat the big-surfaced craft onto the two men and they had to get out as best they could and see the water-bird pounded to pieces beyond their reach. They returned to Chicago, having decided to abandon the contest.

Johnson to Quit Race.
Walter E. Johnson, alone in a Thomas airboat, also became helpless and would have met a similar fate but for the aid of the motor boat of the life-saving station, which got him to shore safely on the sand beaches near Whiting, Ind. Johnson practically decided to quit the race.

Beckwith Havens, in a Curtiss airboat, with J. B. Venplanck as passenger, was the only flyer to reach Michigan City, the first control. Roy I. Francis, in a twin-tractor Patterson airboat, expects to start today with Glen Martin, another favorite, who hoped to have his wrecked tractor repaired.

Abandon Trip Today.
Michigan City, Ind., July 9.—After a conference with Havens and Venplanck, the flying boat pilots who reached here safely ahead of the storm in the first leg of the Chicago-Detroit cruise, and after conversations by telephone with Roy Francis, Glenn Martin and Walter Johnson, William H. Pickens, contest director, issued a bulletin announcing the abandonment of the lake harbor control named for tonight.

GRANGE ASKS GOOD ROADS
National Body Meeting at Spokane Favors Federal Aid for Movement.

Spokane, Wash.—Discussion of the report of Oliver Wilson, national master, before the forty-sixth annual convocation of the national grange, developed the fact that the grange virtually is unanimous in advocating federal aid for public road improvement.

The legislative committee will be instructed to urge congress to pass a bill appropriating road funds to be administered under a national board acting in conjunction with similar commissions from the state.

Quart of Whisky Is Fatal.
New York—Edward Kane, a driver, drank a quart of whisky winning a bet, smiled, walked home and then died. John Mann, who held the other end of the wager, has been arrested.

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TURKS MAY BE ALLY

Report Says They Offered Services to Fight Bulgaria.

Bulgar Irregulars Imprison 700 Men in Mosque and Then Fired Bombs Under It.

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building on fire. They had previously assembled the victims' wives and daughters to witness the spectacle.

Even more terrible scenes were enacted at Kilkish, Planitz and Raynovo. Father Michel asserts that among the irregulars responsible for these atrocities were business and professional men and students from Sofia.

Vienna, July 9.—After repulsing several small Servian forces, the Bulgarian troops have succeeded in penetrating to Vranja, the war commissariat station of the Servian army, and are advancing along the Morava river, according to a Sofia dispatch. If this proves correct, the Bulgarians have cut off a huge body of Servians from Belgrade.

MANY FIGHT MOUNTAIN FIRE
Hundreds Use Back Fire to Keep Flames From Destroying Towns.

San Francisco, July 9.—Mill Valley may be saved from the Mount Tamalpais forest fire. Authorities express this hope, asserting other nearby towns also may escape.

Every available man from Mill Valley and the surrounding country, reinforced by troops from the Presidio at San Francisco and Fort Baker, is on the fire line, combating with back fire the half mile front of the forest fire which swept down the mountain. The fire now is more than a mile from the principal part of Mill Valley, though it was dangerously near to some summer homes of San Franciscans.

SULZER PICKS TYPOS' HEAD
Nominates James M. Lynch State Labor Commissioner.

Albany, N. Y., July 9.—After having been unsuccessful in three attempts to have John Mitchell, former president of the United Mine Workers of America, made state labor commissioner, Governor Sulzer sent to the senate for confirmation the appointment of James M. Lynch of Syracuse, president of the International Typographical union, for the position.

Until a short time ago, scarcely one person in a thousand had ever tasted a really good soda cracker—as it came fresh and crisp from the oven.

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SPECIAL ASSESSMENT NOTICE.

Special Warrant Under Local Improvement Ordinance No. 134, Series 1912.

Public notice is hereby given that the County Court of Lee County, Illinois, has rendered judgment for special assessment upon the property benefited by the following improvement: constructing vitrified tile pipe sewer with necessary manholes, flush tank and house connection laterals in Democrat Avenue from the manhole heretofore constructed in East Second Street to the north line of East Fourth Street in the City of Dixon, County of Lee and State of Illinois. Plans will more fully appear from a certified copy of said judgment now on file in my office and that a warrant for the collection of such assessment is in the hands of the undersigned. Said assessment is payable in five (5) annual installments, the amount of the first installment is \$339.55 and is due and payable on or before January 2nd, 1914, the last four installments are each for the amount of \$100.00 and one of such installments is due and payable January 2nd, in each of the years 1915 to 1918 both inclusive. All such installments bear interest at the rate of five per cent per annum, payable on the 2nd day of January from the 29th day of May, A. D. 1913, the date of issuing the first voucher on account of work done.

All persons interested are hereby notified to call and pay the amount assessed at the Collector's Office in the City Building in the City of Dixon, County of Lee, and State of Illinois.

Dated this 3rd day of July, A. D. 1913.

BLAKE GROVER, Collector.

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TEN-YEAR-OLD GIRL MARRIED

Husband, Who is Twenty-three Years Old, Gives an Appropriate Present to Young Bride.

Thibodeaux, La.—Agnes Callahan, ten years old, was married the other day and quit the third reader class in the public school here. Her husband is Paul Dietz, twenty-three years old. The girl wore short dresses during the ceremony, but immediately after announced she was a married woman now. The priest who performed the ceremony was opposed at first on account of the age of the prospective bride, but because the parents of both of the contracting parties insisted that the wedding should take place he finally was prevailed upon to conduct the ceremony.

The bridegroom as wedding present to his youthful bride presented her with a huge doll. The wedding was the result of a courtship begun when the bride was a baby.

IS CAUGHT BY THUMB PRINT

Man Who Killed Girl in Germany is Put Under Arrest After a Long Search.

Frankfort-on-the-Main, Germany.—The bloody imprint of a thumb upon the body of a girl stabbed to death has led to the detection and confession of the murderer here. Joseph Rupp was arrested for fighting in a saloon. Ever since the murder of the girl the police have examined the thumb prints of anyone arrested. Over 400 were on hand, but when Rupp's thumb print was taken it was quickly recognized as identical with that on the body of the girl. Confronted with it, he confessed. He had robbed the house and killed the girl to prevent alarm.

Unseen Universe.

In the vicinity of the star S. Corone Australis Innes and Worsell have found a patch of sky 25 minutes of arc in diameter where no star can be seen with a 9-inch refracting telescope.

According to Innes, who discusses the subject in "Transvaal Observatory Circular No. 5," the apparent absence of stars in this region is due to the occurrence of some absorbing medium, interposed between us and distant parts of the universe.

Stars in the neighborhood of the dark region are enveloped in nebulae; while just on the border of it there is a star which has been observed to fluctuate in magnitude between 11.0 and 12.2, and which was invisible during the years 1899-1901.

The latter fact is accounted for on the supposition that the absorbing medium was for a time in front of the star, but has since withdrawn from it.

Not to Be Trusted.

"Don't you think that women are too emotional to be trusted with the ballot?"

"I certainly do. Creatures that have no more control over their emotions than women should be limited to the business of giving such moral training to our children as they may require."

Depends.

"Could you swallow Jaggs' story of a horse of spirit?"

"Certainly, if he made it a pony of brandy."

NEW MEAT SUPPLY

Washington Officials Say Reindeer Will Supplant Cattle.

Declare That in Less Than Twenty Years There Will Be 2,000,000 Animals Grazing in Alaska and Flesh Will Be Cheaper.

Washington.—Uncle Sam has undertaken many big problems of late in an effort to solve the mystery of the continued rise in the cost of food. But it is doubtful if any of them will have a greater effect on this vital question than the experiment to find a new meat supply. Every one agrees that the meat problem is the greatest of all. It was for this reason the government first undertook the experiment of raising reindeer on the barren slopes of Alaska. The scheme has now progressed far beyond the experimental stage, and the men who have charge of it say that reindeer beef will cut a big figure in the future supply of America.

Officials at Washington say that in less than 20 years, if the increase continues at the present rate, there will be more than 2,000,000 prime reindeer in Alaska, upon which the people of America can depend for much of their flesh diet in the future.

Reindeer meat is now considered a delicacy by epicures, and is only sold at leading hotels and restaurants. In flavor the meat is a cross between mutton and beef, but is even more palatable than either. Reindeer can be raised for the market much more cheaply than cattle, because they will thrive on wastes so barren that even goats would starve to death. Their principal food is the moss which grows only in the far north. There are more than 40,000 square miles of frozen tundra, or moss-covered ground, in Alaska now fit for nothing, but if the latest scheme of Uncle Sam's pans out as expected this immense territory will be available for reindeer ranches and can provide abundant pasturage for 10,000,000 or more of the animals.

About ten years ago Uncle Sam started his experiment of raising reindeer in Alaska with a herd of 1,200 animals. Now there are more than 30,000 in the same herd. At that time it was the hope of the authorities at Washington to aid the Eskimo and the native Indians of the north to be-



Monarch of Reindeer Herd.

come self-supporting citizens. That was and still is the basic idea of the whole experiment.

Tribute to Amazons.

The magnificent example of the women of Dahomey should be made widely known wherever their more civilized sisters are to be found struggling for their rights. Frederick Martyn of the French foreign legion, who fought in the recent Dahomey campaign, tells us emphatically that "the female of the species is more deadly than the male." The Senegalese tirailleurs were attacked by the Amazons, and Mr. Martyn says that "any one inclined to sympathize with the Amazons on account of their sex and to look upon the combat between them and our men as unequal, may take it from me that their sympathy would be misplaced. These young women were far and away the best men in the Dahomeyan army, and woman to man were quite a match for any of us. They fought like unchained demons, and if driven into a corner, did not disdain to use their teeth and nails." It may be an error of policy to make these facts known, and thus to stimulate a militancy already vigorous enough.

Change in Modern Life.

The old tradition that woman's work was in the home, and only in the home, is dying, and dying with swiftness; slaughtered unmercifully by the modern industrial system which has sucked away from the home all those industries that once were carried on there—the pickling, the weaving, the baking, the brewing, the spinning. All these were once home trades at which women of almost all ranks earned their daily bread; they may not, as housewives, have been actually paid for their toil in money—as a matter of fact, I do not imagine that they often were—but they certainly earned the keep, the board, lodging and allowance dealt out to them by the husbands who were at the same time their employers. It was their labor which helped to make of the average home a self-supporting institution, a place of business as well as a place to dwell in.—London Mail.

ODD SCOTCH CHURCH

Greenock Edifice at St. Andrews, N. B., Erected in 1824.

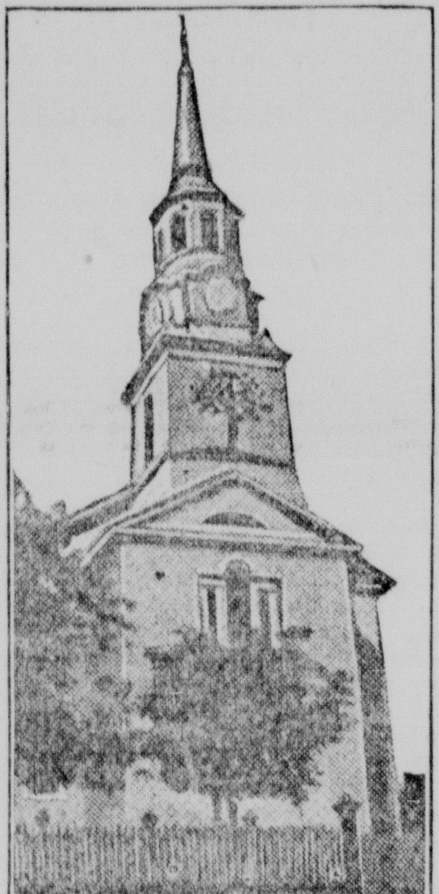
Building Is Novelty in Construction—It Is Quirky Carved—Has a Large Double Decker Pulpit of Mahogany—Cost £500 in England.

Montreal.—At the quaint Canadian town of St. Andrews, N. B., 12 miles up the St. Croix river from Eastport, Me., is a novelty in church construction. Greenock church was erected in 1824. Its quirky carved and painted oak tree on the front of the bell tower can be seen from a considerable distance. Inside the church is a large double-decker pulpit of mahogany, with sounding-board on top and two flights of steps reaching the preacher's stand. It is protected with gates—and an inclosure of red curtains. It was brought out from England at a cost of £500.

At the time this Scotch church was erected the town was prosperous and the donor expected his congregation to pay yearly dues or taxes, but it is related that they neglected to attend to this. The story goes that one Sunday morning the donor mounted the pulpit and faced a large congregation; that he displayed a brace of loaded pistols which he fired into the air, and the frightened people rushed to their homes. The donor closed the church, pocketed the key, and said that when the churchgoers paid their dues they might have the church again.

The walls and the center of the church show decorations of large-sized Scotch thistles, handsomely painted and carved. There is a heavy old-fashioned lock on the front door and the massive, quaintly shaped iron key is kept in a wooden box on the ground near the entrance, where any visitor can find it and visit the church at all times.

The church is less than two miles on the St. Croix river from where the world-famed Demons Island is located and where the celebrated French explorer Demont and his companion Champlain made a settlement in June,



Greenock Church at St. Andrews, N. B. 1604, the first European settlement on the Atlantic coast, but it was only for part of a year.

HURT; WILL NOT STAY IN BED

Contractor, 81 Years Old, Injured Riding Bicycle, Says Maybe He'll Be Better.

Washington.—James Fitzpatrick, a contractor, was run down by an automobile while riding a bicycle here. When he recovered from the shock he was asked his name, which he gave, and then sitting up indignantly vouchsafed the further information that he was eighty-one.

"Don't you know better than to ride a bicycle around the streets?" inquired a young interne sternly.

"I'm as young in spirit as you," retorted Fitzpatrick angrily. "Where's my 'bike'?" I'm not a hothead plant and I don't propose to sleep on your beds. When I get old I'll cut out some of my rough-and-tumble ways—maybe."

The aged man rode briskly off after several bruises had been treated. Apparently he was none the worse for his experience.

MOSCOW PUPILS BIG DRINKERS

Reports Show 66 Per Cent of Boys and 45 Per Cent of Girls Use Intoxicants.

Moscow.—According to official reports prepared by the Moscow town council, inebriety is rapidly increasing among Russian school children generally, but particularly in the Moscow district. Inquires show that 90 per cent of the adults addicted to drink acquired the habit while at school, and of 18,134 schoolboys between the ages of eight and thirteen, in the Moscow district, 12,152, or 66 per cent, have taken to drink. The percentage among girls of the same ages is scarcely less appalling, 4,733 out of 10,461, or 45 per cent.

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The work for which said tenders are invited is the construction of about 1644.18 cubic yards of earth excavation and backfill, about 528 linear feet of 6" laterals (laid), about 260 linear feet of 8" sewer pipe (laid), about 360 linear feet of 10" sewer pipe (laid), about 815 linear feet of 12" sewer pipe (laid), about 180 linear feet of 10" storm-water pipe and traps (laid); Three (3) manholes, 4 feet inside with iron covers and iron steps inside, complete; One (1) manhole 3 feet inside with iron cover and iron steps inside, complete; and Six (6) cement headers at inlets as provided for in Local Improvement Ordinance No. 146, Series of 1913 of the City of Dixon, Illinois.

Each bid for this work must be accompanied by certified check or cash for an amount not less than ten per cent of the aggregate of such proposals. All certified checks must be drawn on some responsible bank and must be payable to the order of the President of the Board of Local Improvements in his official capacity. No bids will be considered unless accompanied by such certified check or cash.

* Said cash or certified checks will be held by said Board of Local Improvements until all the bids have been canvassed and the contract has been awarded and signed. The return of said checks or cash to the successful bidder being conditioned upon his appearance within fifteen (15) days after having been notified of the award having been made to him or them, accompanied by his or their bondsmen and executing a contract with said Board of Local Improvements for the completion of the work so awarded and giving a bond satisfactory to the Board of Local Improvements and Council of the City of Dixon.

A bond of Sixteen Hundred (1600) Dollars will be required conditioned for the fulfillment of the contract in accordance with the ordinance and specifications and to the satisfaction of the said Board of Local Improvements and Council of the City of Dixon. All proposals must be made on blanks which will be furnished bidders at said City Clerk's Office.

The payment for the work for which said tenders are invited is to be made in cash or bonds, payable when the contract is complete, and the work accepted by the Board of Local Improvements and Council of the City of Dixon, bonds to draw interest at five per centum. No bid will be considered unless the party making it shall furnish evidence satisfactory to said Board of Local Improvements and Council of the City of Dixon of his experience and ability in this class of work and that he can control sufficient capital to enable him to successfully prosecute the same in case the contract shall be awarded to him.

Bidders will examine the ordinance, maps, plats, plans, profiles and specifications and also the locality in which said work is to be done and judge for themselves of all the circumstances and surrounding conditions affecting the cost and nature of the work.

Specifications are on file in the Mayor's office, and may also be seen at the Office of the City Clerk of the City of Dixon from and after this date.

The Board of Local Improvements reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

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A bond of \$1000 will be required conditioned for the fulfillment of the contract in accordance with the ordinance and specifications and to the satisfaction of the Board of Local Improvements and Council of the City of Dixon. All proposals must be made on blanks which will be furnished bidders at said City Clerk's Office.

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IN MEMORY OF A BABY

By CARL MAYER.

It was in the late autumn, yet a summer day, when all the air was soft with a scarcely perceptible haze which gives October that pensiveness which is not sadness, and yet which tempers joy.

Miriam sat on the porch crooning a lullaby to her baby as she gently rocked back and forth and contemplated the quietude of the country as it lay before her in a glory of crimson and gold.

A woman came slowly up the street and paused as she caught sight of mother and babe. A woman, haggard, faded, dust-stained, young in years, but with youth's bloom gone from the pale cheeks and wretched eyes, flashing suddenly with a wild light as she held out her arms in supplication.

Miriam shrank back in her chair and held her baby closer, thinking the woman insane; but seeing her mistake, leaned forward a bit, inquiring if the woman was ill or needed help.

"No, madam, not ill, but it has been so long since I've seen a baby! You are good, you are so happy, you have not seen since; you don't know what it is to have lost your baby and go about the world with empty arms and despairing heart. My baby is gone! If you will only let me kiss your baby, let me hold it just once—I would be more fit to die."

Intuitively, Miriam saw that this woman had suffered much; wronged, her womanhood, perhaps; but suffered. Pity flashed tears into her eyes—sin shocked her—but she could not send a fellow-creature away perhaps to death, without giving what help she could.

Hesitating but a moment, she said: "Come, sit here beside me; baby is almost asleep," and rising, she laid the little bundle of warmth and fragrance in the stranger's arms.

"With a stifled cry the woman sank into a chair, while tears coursed down her wan cheeks. She wept—weeping with grief unspeakable—with that agony of an overcharged spirit, until in the fullness of compassion Miriam put her arm around the shaking shoulders and tried in her gentle way to sympathize.

The baby slept. Miriam brought light refreshment, dainty sandwiches and cool, rich milk. Refreshed, the woman, now calm, softly whispered: "If you knew what I have been you would despise me. You would not let me touch your pure, sweet baby. You have been so good, now let me go."

But Miriam gently detained her. "If it will help you to tell me your trouble, I may be able to aid you," she said.

Then the woman wept again, but tenderness prevailed, and bit by bit the story of a young girl, born and brought up on a farm far from the city's whirl, lured away from home on promise of marriage, then deserted, came. How her baby had been born in a charity hospital; how she had searched and searched for her faithless lover, only to find him emerging from a great church with a radiant bride on his arm; how she had walked the streets night and day searching for work no one would give; how reason had left her when her baby died in her arms; how she was nursed back to puny health by others who had suffered, who gave her a home and certain rough but tender care; how she was led on to a life of shame because she could find no other means to earn bread, and how, sickened by the revolting life, she had cast aside her gaudy raiment and was on her way to join her dead baby.

Miriam felt the truth of her story; felt that she could not turn away a soul so sorely distressed.

"I think you were more sinned against than sinning, and God has brought you to me. Will you stay with me and help me care for baby? I have great need of some one who will put love into this work, and perhaps, after a while, my baby will comfort you as your own."

"You will take me; you will keep me; you will let me tend your baby? Oh, it is too much, too much!"

"I will do more, by giving you love and a great trust. You can help or harm me much; if you are loyal and faithful to baby and me you will give me a surer confidence in all humanity, but if you fail me, I shall never dare to listen to the voice of my own soul again. It is a trial for us both!"

When the woman lifted her bowed head there was a new light in her eyes; a rested look.

"I thought there was nothing for me to live for, no work for me to do, but I will live since you think me worthy of such a trust. I will prove to you that there is something true in me still. I will be faithful."

The next spring in a far away city over a little mound in the churchyard a white stone was placed which bore the inscription: "In Memory of a Baby," and the tiny grave was blue with myrtle and violets.

The woman lived all her long years with Miriam and the baby. She came to be like one of the family, respected, trusted, loved, looked up to. She tended them in sickness and in health; rejoiced in their joys, sorrowed with their sorrows, and the next generation never knew but what she had always been one of them.

But never in all the days of her life did Miriam breathe to any one the woman's secret of her baby's grave.

Too Much of It. "I want to get off, sir, to go to my grandmother's funeral."

"Tommy, this thing of your grandmother's funeral is getting to be a 'rave matter.'"



Waiter.—We cannot serve half a portion to two persons, sir.

Customer.—All right. Serve it to me, and I'll sublet to my friend here.

The Chauffeur.

The chauffeur is a wight, I ween, Who has but few regrets; He seems to live on gasoline And Turkish cigarettes.

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THAT HE CANNOT GET BY ADVERTISING

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 25 Words or Less 26 Times ... \$1.50
 Ads in this column must positively be paid for IN ADVANCE Money Orders, Checks or Stamps must be enclosed in order by mail.

A LITTLE "CAMPAIGN" OF WANT ADVERTISING IN THE TELEGRAPH WILL SHORTEN AND CHEAPEN YOUR SEARCH FOR A PURCHASER!

A man who wants to buy a horse or a vehicle, or used furniture, machinery or office furniture will look in our Classified Ads—He is eager to find the very best possible BARGAIN

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WANTED. An old fashioned sewing table with drop leaves, or a deal table. Address R, this office. 2tf

WANTED. House painting and paper hanging. Fred Fuelsack, 427 Broadway. Phone 14304. 49tf

WANTED. Women sell guaranteed hosiery to wearers. 70 per cent profit. Also neckwear, handkerchiefs and petticoats. Make \$15 daily. Experience unnecessary. Wear Proof, 3036 Chestnut St., Philadelphia Pa. 472*

WANTED. 50 women and girls to work at Assembly park hotel from July 25 to August 11. Enquire of Thomas Young, Nachusa House, 53tf

WANTED. Girl for general housework Mrs. Margaret Steel, Highland Ave. and Third St. 57tf

WANTED. At once, man to work on farm by day or month. Tom Dwyer, Amboy, R. 6. 556*

WANTED. Local partner, no investment, all steel sectional garages and small buildings, very attractive proposition, fullest sales co-operation. Permanent profitable. Ruby Manufacturing Company, Jackson, Mich. 581*

WANTED. Position on farm by a colored boy 16 years old. Wm. Spatts, 1205 W. Sixth St. 583*

GIRLS WANTED. Must be over 16 years of age. Borden Condensed Milk Co. 606 F-4.

WANTED. Situation as housekeeper. Address A, Care Telegraph. 583*

WANTED. Room and board for lady, gentleman and two children for 60 days. Stiteley-Newcomer Co. 583

WANTED. Woman to do washing once every two weeks for family of two. Call at 608 College Ave. Phone 181. 593*

WANTED. Single man to work on farm by the month. Good wages and a steady job to the right party. One that knows how and is willing to work. Must be steady and temperate. Enquire of Lee Keenan, R. F. D. No. 2, Phone 49120, Dixon, Ill. 593*

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ILLINOIS CENTRAL RY.

Correct time of all trains leaving Dixon that carry passengers and freight. Daily. *Daily except Sunday.

South Bound.

119 Local Express* 8:18 a. m.
 123 Southern Exp Dly 11:18 a. m.
 131 Clinton Express* 5:09 p. m.
 Amboy Freight* 8:50 a. m.

North Bound.

132 Waterloo Exp* 9:50 a. m.
 124 Local Mail Dly 5:30 p. m.
 120 Local Express* 8:05 p. m.
 Freeport Freight* 12:30 p. m.

CHICAGO & NORTHWESTERN RY.

Correct time of all passenger trains leaving Dixon. Daily except where otherwise specified:

East Bound to Chicago.

No. Lv. Dixon Ar. Chicago
 6 3:23 a. m. 6:45 a. m.
 14 6:27 a. m. 9:05 a. m.
 18 7:22 a. m. 10:30 a. m.
 18 8:17 a. m. 11:00 a. m.
 14 11:29 a. m. 2:15 p. m.

10 11:08 a. m. d'ly ex Sun 2:50 p. m.
 4 4:07 p. m. d'ly ex Sun 7:25 p. m.
 100 4:15 p. m. Sun only 7:25 p. m.
 12 6:10 p. m. 8:45 p. m.
 124 Local Mail Dly 5:30 p. m.
 132 Waterloo Exp 9:50 a. m.

West Bound.

No. Lv. Chicago Ar. Dixon
 5 7:00 a. m. ex Sun 10:20 a. m.
 19 7:10 p. m. Sun only 10:23 a. m.
 13 10:15 a. m. 12:53 p. m.
 9 12:15 p. m. d'ly ex Sun 3:34 p. m.
 17 4:20 p. m. 7:26 p. m.
 11 6:05 p. m. 8:40 p. m.
 25 6:10 p. m. 8:57 p. m.
 17 8:30 p. m. 10:58 p. m.
 7 10:02 p. m. 12:36 a. m.
 3 10:45 p. m. 1:57 a. m.

No. Lv. Dixon Ar. Peoria
 301 8:35 Peoria Pas. 11:52 a. m.

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USE OF CROSS IN HERALRY

More Than Four Hundred Forms of the Device Are Recognized in That Science.

In early pagan days the cross was a symbol of shame and ignominy, and only those deformed or misshapen trees that could be used for no other purpose were formed into crosses. But since the cross has become dear to Christians, says the "Ave Maria," the most precious woods and metals have been formed into it. To the third century may be traced the custom of making the Sign of the Cross. In the days of Constantine, Christians painted crosses on the entrances of their houses as a symbol of their faith.

The impetus to the use of the cross in heraldry was given by the Crusaders, who wore a red cross upon their right shoulder as a token of the obligation they had taken upon themselves. Its form and meanings in heraldic designs are many. In fact, over four hundred and seven different forms have been recorded by students of biography and genealogy.

In heraldry the cross is formed by two perpendicular and two horizontal lines crossing in the center of the shield. This form is modified in various ways by additions and combinations, thus expressing many meanings. It has been said that human intelligence has never devised a system so infinite in its varieties and so endless in its application as is to be found in the science of heraldry, in which figure twenty-seven basic or fundamental crosses.

The Greek cross has all four arms of equal length, while the Latin cross has the earth end longer than the other three arms. The Calvary or Christ Cross rests upon three steps or degrees. The Patriarch cross is recognized by its double crossbar. The St. Andrew's cross is an X, in token of the form of cross on which that saint suffered martyrdom by having his hands and feet bound to its four arms. The St. Anthony cross is shaped like a T, and has its name from the cross that St. Anthony, abbot, wore upon his cloak, though the origin of his cross seems to be Egyptian.

It is a matter of interest that many American families have the cross as the basic emblem of their escutcheons. Among them are at least five of the presidents. The Garfield shield has a blue cross in the dexter canton, and the family motto is, "In the cross I conquer." The Tyler shield had on it a bar, two crescents and a cross form. The shield of the Adams family was adorned by a large cruciform device.

JURY HITS AT WILSON

ATTORNEY GENERAL ALSO CRITICIZED FOR COURSE IN CASE.

Report Rejected by Judge—Sends Jurymen Back to Cut Out Reference to President and Aid.

San Francisco, July 9.—The federal grand jury in making its final report to United States District Judge Van Fleet severely criticized the president and the attorney general for their treatment of former local District Attorney McNab.

Judge Van Fleet refused to accept the report until these criticisms had been eliminated, so the jury took the report under advisement today when it will be presented in empaneled form. The action of the jury caused a sensation as it was this body which indicted the Western Fuel officials and Diggs and Caminetti for white slave charges.

Some of the paragraphs which the judge objected to are as follows: "Delays and postponements in the trials of influential defendants have for many years been the cause of grave criticism on the part of the public who cannot but view them with distrust and suspicion."

"Considering the fact that the present grand jury was familiar with the causes the postponement of which led to Mr. McNab's resignation, we have examined the letters, telegrams, and other correspondence relative to the postponements. We feel that we would be lacking in our duty to the public if we did not record our judgment and opinion thereon."

"The defense of the attorney general, in view of the correspondence, is unfortunately weak. The action of the president in sustaining in one breath the position of the attorney general and in the next taking steps in exact consonance with those demanded by District Attorney McNab, is, in the opinion of the grand jury, to say the least, a most astounding method of disposing of a serious case, and we are forced to view in sadness and regret the remarkable closing of the chapter."

Girl Dies in Suicide Pact.
 Pittsburgh, Pa., July 9.—Katherine Burns, seventeen years old, who swallowed bichloride of mercury in a suicide pact with Anna Butler, her seventeen-year-old chum, two weeks ago, following a confession of a scandal involving two policemen, died here. The Butler girl died a week ago.

THE MARKETS

Grain, Provisions, Etc. Chicago, July 8

Wheat—	Open-	High-	Low-	Close-
July 8	88 1/2	88 3/4	88 1/4	88 1/2
Sept.	88 1/2	88 3/4	88 1/4	88 1/2
Dec.	88 1/2	88 3/4	88 1/4	88 1/2

Corn—
 July 8 61 1/2
 Sept. 61 1/2
 Dec. 61 1/2

Oats—
 July 40
 Sept. 40
 Dec. 40

Barley—
 July 40
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 Dec. 40

Flour—
 July 40
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 Dec. 40

Wheat—
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Corn—
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CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR IN MEET
 Twenty Thousand Persons Attend International Convention.
 Los Angeles, Cal., July 9.—This city is entertaining over 20,000 people who are here for the International Christian Endeavor convention, which opened today and will close on next Monday. When the committee began casting about for a hall to accommodate the delegates to the convention, no hall could be found in the city having a sufficient seating capacity, so Fiesta park, a private park covering a city square, was rented and has been roofed over with canvas.

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